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DOUBLE MURDER.

Mother and Daughter Shot by Assassins.

Mysterious Deed Done at Kansas City--No Motive for the Crime Known.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Foley, a widow, aged sixty-five years, and her unmarried daughter, Fanny, aged forty, were found murdered in their home, near Liberty, Mo., early this morning. No motive for the crime is known.

William Foley, aged twenty-five years, a son of the murdered woman, had visited a neighbor yesterday and returning home after midnight was first to discover the dead bodies. Mother and sister were found in their bed rooms, dressed in their night gowns and bespattered with blood. They had both been shot, the mother through the head and the daughter in the back. The assassin or assassins had fired at Mrs. Foley through one of the front windows. The bullet lodged in the head of the bedstead. Both women evidently became frightened and ran into the bed room together. The door was then forced and the bloody work completed.

The son gave the alarm to neighbors and a party was soon gathered and they sought for traces of the perpetrators. Finding no clew they rode to Kansas City, fifteen miles distant, and reported the murder to the local police. Detectives were immediately sent to Liberty.

DONE BY A MOB!

Young Negro Brute Taken From Officers

And Hung to the Limb of a Tree for a Crime Committed in Mississippi.

COLUMBUS, Miss., Nov. 18.—On Monday a young negro man named Mims Collier attempted an assault upon Miss Tillie Vaughan, a respectable white woman living about twelve miles northeast of this city, in the vicinity of Steenston. Collier had a preliminary trial before Justice Williams, who bound him over to the circuit court, and was held at a store near Steenston in charge of Constables Watson and Megahy. Monday night a mob of over 100 men overpowered these officers and Tuesday morning Mims' body was found dangling from the limb of a near-by tree.

BOOKS DO NOT BALANCE.

Accounts of the Grand Scribe of the Indiana Odd Fellows in Bad Shape.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 18.—Several months ago W. H. Leedy was appointed grand scribe of the state encampment of Odd Fellows, Grand Scribe Foster being ill and unable to attend to his duties and his son and assistant having charge of all the affairs connected with the position. The encampment met yesterday and Grand Patriarch Lang submitted his report. He said at the time of Leedy's appointment as scribe the affairs of the office were in bad condition and that an examination had convinced him that the conditions were worse than had been reported. The report of the grand patriarch created a sensation among those who heard it and the matter soon reached the street. A member of the grand lodge, which convenes here today, said that the accounts of Assistant Scribe Charles Foster did not balance, but the amount involved he declines to state. He said that it had been, or would be, made good. It is claimed that it will take an official investigation to determine whether there is a shortage.

MOODY'S MISSION.

Wealthy Eastern Man Leaves $100,000 for His Work.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Evangelist Dwight L. Moody received notice today that $100,000 had been left him by a wealthy citizen of New London, Conn., for his educational work in Chicago and Northfield, Mass.

The money was bequeathed to a board of trustees by J. N. Harris, a New London bank president, who died three weeks ago. The will stipulates that the money shall be spent under the advice and direction of Mr. Moody in his various educational institutions.

This is one of many similar funds received by Evangelist Moody for the prosecution of his extensive religious and educational work. He keeps no records of the amounts he spends, but the fact remains that he handles and pays out as much as $10,000 a week in the cause of education and charity.

His revival meetings at Cooper Union this week have attracted immense crowds, and it became necessary to hold overflow services in adjoining churches.

Murder and Suicide.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Nov. 18.—The bodies of James Ware and Mrs. Ella Ricketts were found on the Locust street viaduct of the Chicago and Alton road with a bullet hole in the forehead of each. The man had evidently shot the woman and then turned the weapon on himself. Ware occupied part of the house in which the Ricketts resided and the two had been suspected of intimacy.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis and her daughter, Miss Winnie, accompanied by Judge Deroy B. Valliant and R. R. Hutchinson, of this city, arrived here from New York last night. They come to attend the annual reception and ball to be given here Thursday evening. They were met at the Union station by a large number of ex-confederates and friends and escorted to the Planters hotel, where elaborate preparations had been made for their entertainment.

PAYS HIS RESPECTS

To McKinley, Does Chairman Hanna, by a Visit

To Discuss With the President-Elect the Details of the Inauguration Ceremonies.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 18.—Speaking of his trip to Canton to an Associated Press representative today, National Republican Chairman M. A. Hanna said he made the journey simply to pay his respects to the president-elect and to discuss with him the details of the inauguration ceremonies.

"It seems to have become the custom," said Mr. Hanna, "for the national chairman to appoint the committees, marshal and other officials who have supervision of the inauguration details, and my visit to Major McKinley was largely to discuss these matters."

Asked in regard to Major McKinley's visit to Cleveland, Mr. Hanna said:

"I think the president-elect and his wife will come to Cleveland for a time as soon as Mrs. McKinley's health will permit. She has been quite ill, having been threatened with pneumonia, and her recovery is slow, though she is now able to go out in a carriage." Mr. Hanna stated that nothing whatever had been mentioned between the president-elect and himself in regard to a trip south. It is possible that Mr. and Mrs. McKinley will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna at their southern home during a portion of the winter, but so far the matter has not been discussed.

Asked if cabinet matters had been taken up during his visit to Major McKinley, the national chairman said he did not care to discuss that subject.

TWELVE MEN LOST.

The Captain and Some Sailors Rescued.

Fatal Accident Which Befell the British Steamer Memphis in Dunlough Bay.

BRISTOL, Eng., Nov. 18.—The British steamer Memphis, from Montreal on November 4, for Monmouth, is ashore in Dunlough Bay. Soon after being stranded, her crew took to the rigging and her perilous position being noticed, the coast guards sent for a rocket apparatus and it was promptly forwarded to the scene. Unhappily, the gale was blowing so strongly that only the captain and part of the crew of the Memphis were saved. It is known that twelve men were lost. Cattle and other portions of the steamers cargo are now washing ashore. Her hull is completely submerged and only her upper masts can be seen above water. The Memphis was over 2,000 tons net register, was owned by the African Steamship company and was built at Belfast, Ireland, in 1890. The steamer struck a rock and was pounded to pieces.

State Librarian.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—The supreme court has appointed Mrs. Jennie Edwards, widow of the late Major John N. Edwards, to the office of state librarian for a term of six years. The office was formerly held by W. J. Zeverly, of the democratic state committee, who resigned to accept a place under Secretary of the Interior D. R. Francis.

Officers Elected.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The presidents of the Methodist colleges and universities in the United States, in annual convention at Evanston, have elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Henry Wade Rogers, Northwestern university; vice president, J. T. Goucher, Woman's college, Baltimore; secretary and treasurer, Samuel Plantz, Lawrence university.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Local Christian Endeavorers have given an enthusiastic reception to John Willis Baer, of Boston, the general secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavorers, who is here to make arrangements for the great convention which meets here next July. The business men of the city have subscribed liberally to the convention expense and a large attendance, not only from the Pacific coast and the central west, but from New England and the south, is expected.

National Hardware Association.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 18.—The third annual convention of the National Hardware association began here today. The organization has a membership which comprises over 200 of the largest jobbers hardware firms in the United States. The aggregate trade represented in the association is fully $150,000,000 a year. Nearly 200 members from all parts of the country were present when President Wm. W. Supplee called the assemblage to order. The opening session was devoted to the reading of the president's annual report and the reception of the various committee reports.

There will be a benefit ball for Billy Harris, the pugilist, this evening at Randall hall.

THE LAST DAY.

Final Session of the W. C. T. U. Convention.

Words of Cheer From the Daughter of a Russian Count--Chairmen of Standing Committees.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 18.—The last day's session of the W. C. T. U. national convention opened with the usual prayer meeting in Schuyler Memorial house. After singing and prayer at Music hall, the minutes of the session of yesterday were read and approved. The report of the executive committee, containing the names of the organizers, superintendents of departments, evangelists, editors and business managers of the Union Signal, president of the board of temperance hospital and members of the standing committes recommended for appointment, was read. It was approved without division. The names of the superintendents were as telegraphed yesterday. The others follow:

Evangelists—Mrs. J. K. Barney, Mrs. S. M. I. Henri, Mrs. Annie M. Palmer, Mrs. Mary Sparks Wheeler, Mrs. R. J. Trego, Mrs. Mary J. Weaver, Mrs. E. M. Houghton, Mrs. Jennie F. Willing, Miss Cassie Smith, Rev. Frances E. Townesley and Mrs. Mary Cody.

Editors of the Union Signal—Mrs. Susana M. D. Fry, Miss Clara Chapin and Mrs. Ada M. Mellville.

Business Manager—Mrs. C. F. Graw.

President of the Board of Trustees of Temperance Hospital—Mrs. Margaret Ingleheart.

President of the Board of Temple Trustees—Nrs. Matilda B. Carse.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Transportation — Mrs. Mary G. Hoy.

Sabbath Meetings—Mrs. Rebecca B. Chambers.

Overflow Meeting — Rev. Anna Shaw.

Convention Seating—Miss Carrie Busby.

Telegrams—Mrs. Lucie B. Tynig.

Auditor—Mrs. C. B. Bigelow.

Mrs. Matilda B. Carse, president of the Woman's Temperance Publishing association, made a report. She stated that, despite the financial depression, the association had weathered the storm and the treasury showed a net gain for the year of $516. The cash receipts for that time were $125,337, and expenditures $125,151. Mrs. Carse said that when it was considered that the receipts for 1896 were $14,462 less than the preceding year, it was remarkable that the association had been able to hold its own.

Miss Willard read a letter from Titiana Tolstoy, daughter of the Russian count by that name, in which she said: "Your nephew said you and Lady Somerset were perhaps coming to Russia. My father and I were very well pleased to hear the news, and we hope that you will then pay us a visit if your voyage will then take place."

In connection with this, Miss Willard spoke of another letter she had received from the same source, in which the writer said that she and her father were interested heart and soul in the work of the W. C. T. U. After the receipts of some W. C. T. U. documents by the count he and his whole family became total abstainers, Miss Willard reported.

Miss Frances J. Barnes, of New York, memorial secretary of the young women's branch, reported on the work done during the past year, during which there had been an increase in thirty-three states, Maryland leading with the greatest number of new recruits.

Telegrams of greeting were ordered sent to Julia Ward Howe and Governor Upham, of Wisconsin.

Invitations were received from Portland, Me., and Portland, Ore., Milwaukee and Nashville, to hold the next national convention in one of those cities. Action on the question was deferred.

It is probable that the convention will be held in one of the lake cities, possibly Buffalo. The international convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Toronto next year and it is the desire of Miss Willard and other members to hold the national convention previous to that in some place near the Canadian city, so that delegates can go from one to the other.

The reports of a number of organizers closed the forenoon session.

Last night several members of the W. C. T. U. made a slumming tour, singing and praying with the habitues of dives in the tenderloin district.

An Election Case.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 18.—County Attorney C. O. Whittemore has handed down an opinion on the legal statues of the recent election. It declares the ballot was not a secret one as defined by the provisions of the constitution which are mandatory and prohibitory; therefore the election itself is "absolutely invalid and is in fact no election." The board of canvassers advised however, that it must perform its duty which is merely ministerial and that the county clerk must issue the certificates of election required by law unless he is prevented from so doing by the intervention of a court of competent jurisdiction.

Big Coal Shipments.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—J. Pierpont Morgan and associates, for the Erie railway, have arranged for extensive shipments of coal to Chicago and other western points from Marion, Ohio, at which point the Erie connects with the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railway and the Columbus, Sandusky and Hocking railway, both coal roads, that tap all the coal mines of Southern Ohio.

COME IN FLOCKS.

County Jail Filling Up With Freight Train Tramps.

Mayor Scherer Adopts New Tactics in Handling Their Cases--Fourteen Arrests Today.

Not long ago the Pennsylvania railroad company increased its police force with the object in view of putting a stop to the nuisance of tramps stealing rides on passenger and freight trains.

The move had a remarkable effect. Hardly a morning has passed of late that a goodly number of the ragged and moneyless specimens of humanity have not been up before the mayor on the charge of "train jumping," and in nearly all instances the prisoners have been sent to jail.

Last night fourteen tramps were arrested by the railroad detectives, Fuchshober and Walling, and the prisoners were brought up as usual in police court. It began to dawn upon Mayor Scherer that the approach of winter is encouraging a great deal of free travel on railroad freight trains and that if every subject brought before him is to be found guilty, there would not be enough room in the county jail to accommodate one-half of them in the near future.

He made known his intention of adopting a new method in the handling of such cases by dismissing all of the fourteen prisoners forthwith, administering a severe reprimand in each case and ordering the released men to get out of town in two hours' time.

Lieutenant Lapp said to a SENTINEL reporter: "Five jails like ours would not hold the tramps that steal rides on railroad trains running into and out of the city."

The railroad companies, however, expect to see every guilty man convicted. There is a flagrant violation of the law relating to stealing of rides on trains and they feel that they have a right to have the laws obeyed as long as they make the arrests themselves. Their force of police officers will keep right on arresting every tramp caught in the act of jumping on or off of trains.

FATAL INITIATION.

Edward Curry Dies From Blood Poisoning.

Was Seated in An Electric Chair and Burned While Being Given the First Degree in the Elks.

DES MOINES, Nov. 18.—Edward W. Curry, chairman of the democratic state committee, died at the Savery house today of blood poisoning, the result of an initiation into the Elks' lodge here a few weeks ago. He was seated in an electric chair and horribly burned before those operating it realized what they were doing. It was kept quiet until this morning.

WHILE PRAYING,

Mrs. Stevens is Stricken With Heart Disease.

Sad Interruption of the Meeting of the Illinois Daughters of Rebekah.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 18.—The opening session of the Daughters of Rebekah and the grand lodge of Illinois Odd Fellows today was sadly interrupted by the sudden death of Mrs. Mary B. Stevens, of Yale, Ill., chaplain of the grand lodge. She had just commenced her prayer and said "Our Father," when she dropped to the floor and expired of heart disease. Her husband, D. G. Stevens, a prominent merchant, was attending the Odd Fellows' grand lodge session across the hall when notified of his wife's death. Appropriate resolutions were adopted and committees were appointed to escort the body to Yale, after which the session adjourned.

Army of the Tennessee.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 18.—The twenty-eighth annual reunion of the Army of the Tennessee convened today in the parlors of the Southern hotel. Gen. Granville M. Dodge, of Iowa, the president, called the meeting to order.

GALLAGHER GUILTY.

Imprisonment for Two Years in State's Prison North.

MUNCIE, Nov. 18.—In the Gallagher murder trial, the jury brought in a verdict this morning at 8 o'clock fixing the defendant's punishment at two years in the state's prison. The defendant stated that he did not think he should have been found guilty. The prosecution was as much disgusted with the verdict as was the defense at the former trial, when Gallagher was sentenced to prison for twenty-one years and asked for and was granted a new trial.

It is believed that Gallagher would have been acquitted at this trial had not his father testified to the effect that the boy was an incorrigible youth. The father refused to come to see the boy during the first trial, and the defense is sorry that they prevailed on his coming to this one.

Max Blitz is at Cleveland.

STRUCK A WOMAN.

Thomas Baker Pays a Fine and is Re-Arrested.

County Commissioners Allow Ex-Sheriff Clausmeier's Salary--Court Notes.

Last night Thomas Baker, the Columbia street saloonkeeper, got into a row with his wife's sister, Allie Burr, and struck her. The fight waged warm when an officer arrived and brought the fracas to an end for the time being without making any arrests. Today the woman filed an affidavit in Justice France's court against Baker, charging him with assault and battery. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $1 and costs, amounting to $12. Then she filed another affidavit charging him with provoke. This case will come up next Monday morning.

TRIED TO SUICIDE.

Albert Rathert, who is in jail awaiting trial on the charge of forgery, attempted suicide last night by taking laudanum. The dose was not sufficient to cause fatal results, and the young man is all right again today. Rathert is implicated with John Bruns in the forgery case and it is said they forged the name of Mrs. Hochstetter.

COURT NEWS.

The county commissioners today allowed a bill for $1,026, as a part of the last quarterly payment due ex-Sheriff Clausmeier on his $6,000 for the past year.

Marriage licenses have been granted as follows: Alfred D. Hunter and Sophia M. Liehman, Jacob Raber and Nettie Meyer.

STATE DEBT REDUCED.

Finance Board Authorizes Another Payment Amounting to $200,000.

The state finance board met at Indianapolis and authorized the treasurer to pay off $1,200,000 of state bonds upon which the state holds an option. In the last two years $1,200,000 of the state debt has been liquidated and there is now left in the neighborhood of $6,000,000 of funded debt, with no floating debt. In the auditor's office it is estimated that if the tax laws continue to be enforced as they are at present the state debt can, with the same low tax levy that now exists, be wiped out within the next eight years. The reduction of the debt during the last two years has caused a heavy reduction in the interest charges, for nearly all the high-priced outstanding bonds have been taken up and those now out bear a low rate of interest.

LOCAL LINES.

Charles Goodwin, a former Fort Wayne boy, now proprietor of a Chicago advertising agency, is in the city today.

Fred Keese, of Wilt street, ran into Christian Martin's buggy on Broadway last night, and was knocked down, sustaining a slight cut above his right eye.

Rev. C. C. Cissell has taken from a tree in the yard of the Berry street parsonage a branch which contains a cluster of six second growth apples which each measure about two inches long by four inches in circumference.

Today Thomas Connett reported to the police that someone had driven away with his horse, which had been left by him in front of the White bank about 11 o'clock. Boys are probably responsible for the unusual liberties now being taken with other people's horses.

Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock S. E. Malcolm, the real estate dealer, tied his horse and buggy in front of the White bank while he attended to some business matters. Between 4 and 5 o'clock he went back to take the horse home and as he turned the corner at Calhoun he saw someone drive away with it. Mr. Malcolm immediately notified the police and about 11 o'clock last night the horse was found on East Columbia street in a dangerous condition as a result of fast driving. The animal was put up at Martin's livery stable and was restored to its owner this morning.

The Muncie News has the following to say of the last honors paid to the late Charles Boyce, who formerly resided in this city: "The remains of Charles W. Boyce were laid to rest in Beech Grove cemetery Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the members of the Knights of Pythias. That he was a man with innumerable friends during his life, was demonstrated by the large attendance. The funeral cortege, which left the residence at 4 o'clock, was headed by the Muncie city band and 280 Knights of Pythias marched in the rear. There was an enormous assemblage of people at the cemetery and several thousand people witnessed the cortege as it moved from the residence to the cemetery."

The Tippecanoe club was entertained at the home of Dr. L. A. Worch and wife on Washington boulevard last evening, Captain Fonner assisting in making the reception a success. Headed by the First Regiment A. O. U. W. band, the club marched to the home of Captain Fonner, where they were welcomed by the captain and his wife. Refreshments were served and addresses were made by Robert Dreibelbiss, Peter Poison, Will Kaiser and Paul Hoppe. They proceeded thence to the residence of Dr. Worch, who is president of the club. After pleasant social conversation, refreshments and music on the piano and by the band, C. E. Everett, chairman of the county central committee, was called for, and made a fine address. Other speakers were Mr. A. J. You, J. K. McCracken, Will Wilson, Frank Gruber, J. Farwell, Capt. Ferd Boltz, of Bluffton; Capt. Fonner and President Worch.

WALKING FOR PAY.

Mrs. H. Estby and Daughter on a Long Journey.

Have Agreed to Go on Foot From Spokane to New York--Now in the City.

At Bradley's Grand Central hotel today are two strangers who have a history. They are Mrs. H. Estby and her daughter who are now engaged in performing the great feat of walking from Spokane, Washington, to New York city, a distance of 4,500 miles.

This long journey was the conception of a wealthy woman of Spokane, who is an ardent advocate of woman's suffrage, and it is intended to test the power of woman's endurance. The sum of $10,000 is placed by this lady as a reward if the journey is completed by next December 12th, and as only 800 miles remain to be traveled Mrs. Estby and her daughter already have the prize assured them.

These travelers left on their novel trip May 5, but the conditions of their contract being that they must earn their own clothes and lodging en route, they have spent probably two months of the time in selling their photographs and working at various places to get money.

The pedestrians are clothed in dresses which somewhat resemble bicycle costumes. Their route is mostly along the railroads. They both appear to have stood the trials of the trip exceedingly well.

ENDS TONIGHT.

Close of the Sons of Columbus Convention.

Routine Business Occupies the Day--Exemplification of the Ritual Tonight.

The business session of the sixth annual national convention of the Sons of Columbus came to an end this afternoon. The business transacted was of a routine nature and of interest to nobody outside of the order. The officers are elected every two years and this does not come up at this meeting.

Tonight, at the hall, in the Lau block, an exemplification of the new ritual will be given in the presence of delegates and local members.

Last evening an enjoyable program of exercises was carried out at the hall, those present being visiting delegates, with their ladies, and the local members with their auxiliar, the Daughters of Isabella. The meeting was presided over by F. W. Irwin, who introduced Vice Grand Admiral E. J. McOscar. The latter delivered the address of welcome and was followed by Admiral F. J. Quinn, of Peoria, Ills., who responded in an appreciative vein, thanking the Fort Wayne colony and Daughters of Isabella for the pleasant reception accorded the visitors, and following his remarks up with a review of the aims of the organization. The patriotic words of the speaker were loudly applauded by the auditors.

The chairman then introduced Past Admiral P. S. O'Rourke, who said that the founding of the Sons of Columbus was for the purpose of giving Catholic young men an opportunity they had never enjoyed before in America, that of controlling their own affairs without hindrance from other sources. He said that the purpose of the order of the Sons of Columbus, aside from motives of charity, is the wiping out of bigotry, not only of that kind with which some are disposed to view the Catholic and his religion, but also of that nature that exists even between Catholics themselves, as well as among people of other religions. If the order succeeded in accomplishing this much, then will its supporters not have labored in vain.

After the speeches an excellent literary and musical program was rendered, every number of which was highly enjoyed. These exercises concluded there was an informal reception in the parlors, followed by a dance program of eighteen numbers and a banquet in the dining hall of the Elk's lodge room.

One of the pleasing features of program was the reading by Mrs. Ormsby. Her description of the prize boat race was received with enthusiasm and she was encored again and again.

Today Calvary U. B. church is holding an election to elect delegates to represent Auglaize conference at the general conference which meets at Toledo, Iowa, next May. The entire membership of the church is voting in this and other lands. In this conference three ministers are chosen from the following: M. Miller, E. Counseller, I. Imler, T. Coats, J. W. Lower, W. E. Bay, W. Z. Roberts, R. R. Wilgus, A. W. Ballinger, and one layman from the following: S. Miller, M. McGinnis and A. W. Aplis. The election at Calvary church is from 3 to 9 o'clock this evening. The general conference is the highest legislative body of the church and meets once every four years, electing bishops and making laws for church government.

BROKE IN A WINDOW.

Whitey Lauer Charged With Malicious Trespass.

Family Row on Columbia Street--Rabbit and Pigeon Thieves--News in Police Circles.

Ed Lauer, known by the nickname of "Whitey," was arrested by Detective Stoll last night, at the instance of Mendel Frank, the Hanna street saloonkeeper, who charged him with smashing in the front of his place of business. Lauer was ejected from the saloon last night and took this as a means of getting even. The case was continued until tomorrow morning, at 9 o'clock, at the request of the prisoner.

OTHER CASES.

Edward Dunn, arrested by Officer Paul for drunkenness, was fined $1 and costs, amounting to $10.50.

John Hartnett, arrested by Officer Hobbs for drunkenness, was released upon a promise to quit drinking.

FAMILY ROW.

Joseph Baker's saloon, at 34 East Columbia street, was the scene of a lively row last night, in which Baker and his sister were the principals. Officer Rohrer was called in and put an end to the fight, without making any arrests.

AMATEUR THIEVERY.

F. O. Cornwell, living on the west side, complained to Officer Pageler that boys had stolen several white rabbits from his premises. The officer found the juveniles who did the stealing and compelled them to return the rabbits and plead for mercy. The children have respectable parents.

Mrs. Rahe, living at 22 Taber street, says twelve pigeons were stolen from her premises. There is no clue to the thieves.

GRADES CONFERRED.

Scottish Rite Convocation Comes to An End.

Closing Ceremonies Followed by a Banquet at Noon Today---Successful Meeting.

The candidates who received degrees in the Lodge of Perfection yesterday were William Gates, of Montpelier; Lincoln Guynn, of Wabash; Reynolds Sterling, Millard R. Cowan, Henry Altevought, George E. Belott, Frank W. Edmonds, Fred Boehling, Richard Allen, Richard E. Doty, Myron Downing and Charles Stahl, of this city.

After the day's program was finished a banquet was held in the hall of the Masonic Temple. Thrice Potent Grand Master William Geake was master of ceremonies. Judge Allen Zollars delivered the address of welcome. Lincoln Guynn, of Wabash, a member of the class receiving the grades, delivered the validictory. Winfield S. Bash then sang with splendid effect the solo, "Celeste," and Luculus G. Knight spoke with eloquence on "Why I Am a Mason," and Dr. Albert G. Bulson discussed "Impressions."

The following guests were present from out of town:

N. R. Ruckle, A. Daller, W. W. Robinson, W. H. Donaldson, Indianapolis; F. F. Boltz, L. C. Davenport, W. D. Mason, S. F. Thumaker, James R. Bennett, E. E. Mosiman, Bluffton; J. H. Sharp, W. H. Magley, E. L. McLallen, A. R. Clugston, Columbia City; C. B. Mulvey, Oscar Evans, Montpelier; S. G. Clingston, Poneto; Fred W. Tucker, Warsaw; J. R. Slack, Huntington; D. S. Nickey, O. Gandy, Churubusco; H. K. Scott, Angola; J. G. B. Atwood, Albion; J. D. Leighty, St. Joe; B. F. Wade, Toledo; D. B. Peabody, Fostoria; John L. Davis, D. E. Caruth, Auburn; S. K. Randall, Avilla.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. F. T. Simpson has returned from Huntington where he conducted a quarterly meeting of the M. E. church.

The Wit and Wisdom club was this afternoon entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shepard, of Harrison street. This is the first of a series of four receptions to be held this winter.

The Allen County Medical society had a meeting set for last evening but owing to the Scottish Rite convocation, which most of the physicians desired to attend, the meeting was adjourned without having accomplished any business.

David Alvord, an old man from St. Louis, who claimed to have been robbed of all the money he had in the world, applied for aid at Trustee Schmetzer's office today. He wanted to reach Norwalk, Ohio, where he had relatives. A ticket to Latta, Ohio, was purchased for him.

Professor Hick's prognostications for November have been correct so far, and it remains to be seen if the weather for the remainder of the month will be as he foretold it. Cold will follow. From about the 21st to 23rd look out for reactionary storms, followed later by changes that naturally follow at this season. According to his predictions, Thanksgiving will be anything but a pleasant day.

One of the most pleasant surprises of the season was the one given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dibold in honor of their nephew, Edward Shrader, of Logan, Ohio, who always declared no one could surprise him. On Monday evening a large crowd gathered at an appointed place and at 8:30 all marched to the house and found Master Ed reading. At 11:30 a delicious luncheon was served and at 12 the happy guests departed after spending the evening in dancing and other amusements, leaving many tokens of friendship. Music was furnished by Messrs. Judy, Delegrange and Bobay.

DIED OF CANCER.

Elizabeth Dingman, Who Lived Here Many Years,

Passes Away at Kalamazoo, Mich.--Mr. and Mrs. Lavanway Lose a Child--The Deaths.

A telegram received this morning announces the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Dingman, at Kalamazoo, Mich, of cancer of the breast. Deceased was for many years a resident of Allen county, having lived here during the period between 1838 and 1889. Surviving her in this city are the following children: Scott W. Dingman, Mrs. J. B. Pirson and Mrs. A. Brunson. Mrs. Pirson was at her bedside when death came. The late Harry Shafer, of Springfield township, was father of the deceased. The remains will arrive here over the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad at 12 o'clock tomorrow and the funeral will be from the train. Interment at Lindenwood.

OTHER DEATHS.

Herbert, the eighteen days old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lavanway, of 66 East Columbia street, died of brain fever yesterday and the funeral will be held from the Cathedral at 10 a. m. tomorrow.

The infant child of Charles Hutfer, of 103 East Washington street, died of exhaustion yesterday and was buried today.

Mrs. John Leeson, of Van Wert, Ohio, died Monday at 7 p. m. Remains were brought to Fort Wayne on the 11:20 a. m. train today and taken direct to the chapel at the cemetery where the casket was opened to friends.

IDA KELLOGG-LLOYD

Concert to be Given at the Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

Cause is a Worthy One--Johnson Smiley Combination at Wayne Street Church.

A very interesting program has been arranged for Mrs. Ida Kellogg-Lloyd's concert at the Y. M. C. A. this evening. In addition to Mrs. Lloyd's beautiful voice, her little son, Robert, only five years old, will sing. The cause of this concert is a worthy one and there should be a large attendance:

a. May Song.....Foerster
b. Old Folks at Home.....F. Root
Morning Musical quartette.
1. Serenade.....Neidlinger
2. "Where Did You Come From Baby Dear?".....Buck
3. "Sleep Little Rosebud".....Brahms
Mr. W. S. Bash.
Jewel Song—Faus.....Gounod
Ida Kellogg-Lloyd.
Reading—Selected.....Miss Anna Philley
"You Can't Play in Our Yard".....
.....Master Robert Lloyd
"Home Dearie Home".....Molloy
Ida Kellogg-Lloyd.
"My Darling's Face".....Massette
Louis F. Curdes.
Reading—Selected.....Miss Anna Philley
"The Wanderer".....Schumann
Mr. W. S. Bash.
"Although Obscure More Royal Grand".Gounod
Ida Kellogg-Lloyd.

An entertainment will be given on Tuesday, November 24, at the Wayne street M. E. church by the Johnson-Smily combination, who are entour of the world. Mr. Smily possesses the talent of impersonation which enables him to represent different characters with marvelous accuracy.

Miss Pauline Johnson was born and reared among the "Six Nations" in Canada, and is a daughter of a principal chief and also belonging to one of the families founded under the leadership of Hiawatha.

The entertainment will afford our citizens the opportunity of hearing this literary prodigy of the "wigwam," whose mother is a near relative of Howells, our American writer.

The county commissioners recently asked the city to give up a ten foot strip of the west side of Court street, so that they could have a twenty foot walk built around the new building. The board of works feels agreeable to the proposition but has suggested to the commissioners that the consent of the property owners on the opposite side of the street be first obtained. It is thought that the change would be acceptable to every business man on the street.

Jacob Kreckenburger was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Stout last night on the charge of stealing grain from the barn of Charles Stock. The affidavit is filed by Charles Strack, who is a brother-in-law of Stock. The theft took place on the latter's farm on the Bluffton road. The case was set for hearing before Justice Bullerman at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Last night the police were summoned to Mike Wickliffe's Arlington hotel, where a racket, in which revolvers figured, had alarmed the inmates of the house. The disturbance was soon over, and two men who had started it made their escape. There is a good deal of mystery in the case.

Sheriff McFarlan, of Rush county, brought Charles Harrigan to the city last night. Another check for $6, signed with the forged name of P. A. Randall, has turned up, which Harrigan is accused of passing at Tom Baker's place, on Columbia street.

Miss Agnes Tiernan entertained the Y. C. G. pedro club last evening.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 1896.

McKinley will be the first soldier in the white house who entered the army as a private.

More than a million people are said to be on the verge of starvation in India. Now, that is hard times.

Concerning Coxey's new platform, the Bay City Tribune says: "It seems to be broad enough to hold all the cranks in the world."

From all parts of the country come reports of a revival in the formation of labor unions, and it is predicted that the coming winter will see a large increase.

Economic writers again call attention to the falling off of marriages. With so many girls extant worth their weight in gold, is not this too much of the single standard?

Public sympathy goes out to the husband of the young woman who married a man she didn't love because McKinley was elected. The trouble about these idiotic election bets is that the innocent must suffer with the guilty.

The very latest in court procedure comes from Boston, where a few days ago a man was summoned to a district court session to answer to the charge of obstructing a sidewalk in front of his place of business. He was such a busy man that he called up the judge by telephone, pleaded guilty and was fined $10 and costs.

The promise of the sultan of Turkey to execute "sweeping reforms" in his dominion inspires little confidence in the world at large. The prevailing belief is that to secure such reforms the essential thing is to have a different sweeper. The sultan's present method seems to be to sweep into eternity those of his subjects who ask for reform.

The terms of the congressmen recently elected do not begin till next March. The first regular session of the new congress will not convene till December, 1897. This is called the long session and usually lasts from five to six months. The second or short session begins in December, 1898, and lasts less than three months, ending March 4, 1899.

The news that the ladies of Spain are giving their jewels and their gold and silver plate to the subjugation of Cuba should excite neither sympathy for Spanish patriotism nor confidence in Spanish success. The women of Cuba are giving their lives, as well as those of their husbands and sons, and it is a long day since jewels have outweighed the plenteous drops of martyrs' blood.

The immense activities of the churches are indicated by the annual appropriation by the Methodist Episcopal church for missionary expenses. The net sum is $981,000. This expenditure by one denomination alone shows the evangelizing spirit is still alive. The great total includes many small as well as large donations. The countless deprivations of personal indulgence that make possible such benefactions are testimonials to the unselfishness that is more general than appears on the surface of events.

William Jennings Bryan, the defeated democratic candidate for president, is actively engaged in the preparation of a work to be published about January 1. This work will embody a thorough discussion of bimetallism and its importance as an issue of the campaign of 1900. Mr. Bryan has authorized his publishers, to state that one-half of the royalties received from the sale of the book will be used in advancing the cause of bimetallism during the next four years. The work will also contain Mr. Bryan's views regarding the results of the recent campaign, his biography, written by his wife, together with special contributions from eminent political leaders. Another special feature of the work will be an interesting account of Mr. Bryan's trip and the enthusiastic reception accorded him.

The State Federation of Labor, at its recent meeting at Muncie, instructed its legislative committee again to bring before the legislature the bill providing for the appointment of a factory inspector, and regulating the employment of women and children. The bill was introduced in the last session of the general assembly by John McGregor, of Marion county, and, after receiving a favorable report of the committee on labor, was passed by the house, and would have been adopted by the senate but for the expiration of the session. Practically every labor organization in the state has endorsed the measure, and an endeavor is to be made to have the coming session take early action on it. The bill is compiled from the New York law, which has been the model for most of the factory inspection laws passed in the various states. It is entitled "an act to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same."

AT THE ALTAR.

Nuptials of Helen Moffat and Benjamin Ninde Celebrated.

Bridal Supper at the Home of the Bride's Parents--Wedding Trip to Florida.

Propitious weather, cogratulatory friends, a proud groom and a blushing, happy bride are essential parts of a wedding festivity and not one of these were lacking in the nuptials celebrated at 8 o'clock last evening in which the interested persons were Miss Helen Moffat and Mr. Benjamin F. Ninde. The ceremony was performed at the First Presbyterian church by Dr. D. W. Moffat, father of the bride.

The church was tastefully decorated with flowers and vines of various varieties, chrysanthemums predominating.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of Mendelsohn's wedding march, played by Prof. Charles Meyer. The ushers, Dr. Deming and Messrs. Edward Woodworth, Lee Ninde and Brook Sale, Hugh Keegan and W. McKee Moffat preceded the bridesmaids, Misses Mary Munger and Katherine Hoffman, in white organdie with yellow flowers and ribbons; Helen Tracy Guild and Nora Hamilton, in white organdie with blue flowers and ribbons; Gertrude Laubach and Charlotte Lowry in white organdie, with pink flowers and ribbons, each carrying bunches of maiden fern. The attendants stood in the aisle. The maid of honor, Miss Mary Moffat, sister of the bride, in sea foam green silk, with white mousselin de soie and taffeta ribbons, carrying pink roses, followed by the lovely bride upon the arm of her father, passed between them to the altar. Her gown was of ivory white satin en traine, with white chiffon and pearl trimmings. She wore a veil and carried lillies of the valley. At the altar the bride was met by the groom, Mr. Benjamin F. Ninde and the ring ceremony was performed. Mr. Samuel Moffat was master of ceremonies.

A wedding supper was served at 9 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, only the bridal party and relatives being present.

The bride and groom left for St. Augustine, Fla. The bride's going away gown was a tailor-made Scottish plaid. Mr. and Mrs. Ninde will be at home to their friends on Thursdays, after January 7, 1897, at their new home, 81 Griffith street.

The out of town guests were Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, Miss Julia Graham and Mr. W. McKee Moffett, of Madison, Ind.; Dr. and Mrs. Roler, of Chicago; Dr. and Mrs. Sawyer, of Indianapolis.

Last Tuesday morning, at St. Joseph church, in Hesse Cassel, occurred the marriage of Mr. George Sorg and Miss Mary Sack, both prominent young people of this place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Mark. The bride was handsomely dressed in a rich gown of landsdown and white chiffon. She was attended by her sister, Lany, who wore a gown of French serge and valencia lace. The groom wore a black suit of broadcloth, his attendant being his brother, Henry, who was dressed in a suit of black diagonal. At 12 o'clock the guests satdown to a table laden with the fruits of the farm and city. The bride and groom received a large number of very useful and beautiful presents, among them were a large antique oak bedstead, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sack, father and mother of the bride; a large clock, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Frieburger, of Fort Wayne; set of silver engraved teaspoons, Misses Hatcie Leah and Loretta Boger, of Hall's Corners, Ind.; clock, Mr. and Mrs. George Sorg; set of oak chairs, Mr. Henry Sack, jr; water set, Mr. and Mrs. Steinacker; water set, Miss Lulu Ofenloch; table cloth, Fred Bentzinger; set cups and saucers, Miss Wilahmena Sorg; china meat dish, Miss Barbara Sorg; molasses pitcher, Master Joe Sorg; set of china platers, Miss Tracy Sorg; bed spread, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Haffner; glove box, Mr. Louie Frieberger; fancy towels, Miss Mary McLaughlin; chair tidy, Miss Regina Sorg; three dollars, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Minnick.

The Kokomo Dispatch says: "Miss Leela Pearl O'Neal, who came from Fort Wayne Friday for a short visit at her home, returned Sunday afternoon. Fifteen of her young lady and gentlemen friends were at the depot to see her off. Miss Maud Ellis and a host of friends met her at Peru, where she was royally entertained until train time.

J. H. Hellings, formerly the manager of the Aldine cafe, has accepted a position as day clerk at the Joy hotel, Findlay, Ohio, and his family will move there to reside. Mr. Hellings, in former years, made his home in that city.

TWO FAMOUS AUTHORS.

Strong Friendship Enriched the Lives of Both.

Her friendship with George Eliot was one that greatly enlisted Mrs. Stowe's sympathies and enriched her life, says Mrs. James T. Fields in the San Francisco Chronicle. Her interest in any woman who was supporting herself, and especially in any one who found a daily taskmaster in the pen, and above all, when, as in this case, the woman was one possessed of great moral aspiration, half-paralyzed in its action by finding itself in an anomalous and (to the world in general) utterly incomprehensible position, such a woman was like a magnet to Mrs. Stowe. She inherited from her father a faith in the divine power of sympathy which only waxed greater with years and experience. Wherever she found a fellow-mortal suffering trouble or dishonor, in spite of hindrance her feet were turned that way. The genius of George Eliot and the contrasting elements of her life and character drew Mrs. Stowe to her side in sisterly solicitude. Her attitude, her sweetness, her sincerity could not fail to win the heart of George Eliot. They became loving friends. It was the same inborn sense of fraternity which led her, when a child, on hearing of the death of Lord Byron, to go out into the fields and fling herself weeping on the mounded hay, where she might pray alone for his forgiveness and salvation. It is wonderful to record the influence of Byron upon that generation. It is on record that when Tennyson, a boy of 15, heard them say "Byron is dead," he thought the whole world at an end. "I thought," he said one day, "everything was over and finished for every one; that nothing else mattered. I remember that I went out alone and carved 'Byron is dead' into the sandstone."

SWINDLING SHOPKEEPERS.

New and Ingenious Devices Practiced by Rendez-Moi of the Capital.

A fashionably dressed Parisian the other day entered a tobacconist's shop in the Rue St. Honore, in which several persons were being served. He selected a cigar, which he lighted, and stood for a few moments as if waiting for something. He then turned to the shop girl and asked for his change out of the 5-shilling piece he had given. The girl denied that she had received any, at which he appeared very indignant and said that if she looked in the till she would doubtless find it, adding that it had a certain mark on it. The girl, to satisfy him, looked and found a 5-shilling piece marked as described, and, apologizing for her mistake, was about to give him the change when two gendarmes, who happened to have observed his maneuvers from the outside, entered and took him into custody. He was taken to the commissary of police, where he was recognized as a skillful practitioner of the description of thief called rendez-moi. His plan was to send someone into the shop, some little time before him to purchase a trifling article with a marked 5-shilling piece, and then to enter himself and act as described, by which process he managed to get from 40 to 50 shillings per day.

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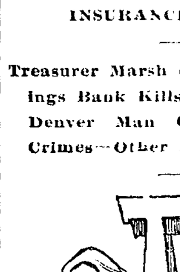
THE MURDER RECORD

FIENDISH DEEDS DONE BY SATAN'S SLAVES.

WHOLESALE MURDER PLANNED BY INSURANCE SWINDLERS.

Treasurer Marsh of the Cape Ann Savings Bank Kills Himself in Despair—Denver Man Confesses to Heinous Crimes—Other Mad Deeds.



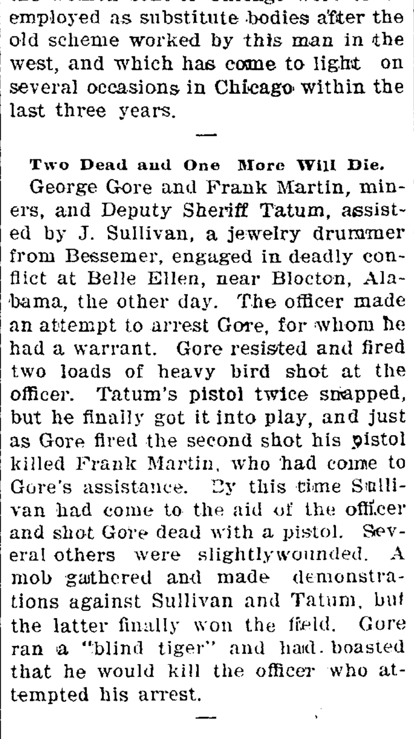
THE attention of the police has been called to a couple of young men who have worked Toledo in the interest of what appears to be a cold blooded crime. They were well supplied with money, and were evidently desirous of securing information relative to a woman who could easily be induced to leave the city. They gave it out at first that they were going to start a swell boarding house. But their real mission developed when they had shipped Myrtle Dean, Millie Capner, Eva Gray and Mary Williams to Chicago, buying tickets for them at Muskegon, Mich. They induced Nellie Parmeter and Rose Elliott to go to the same place in Chicago. Little suspicion was attached to their visit and operations until a traveling man recognized one of them as a man who was run out of Omaha. He is recognized as one of the leaders of a gang of insurance company defrauders who has operated in the west for several years. Their plan is a terrible one. In Chicago, their headquarters, they take out heavy insurance policies on the lives of the women members of the gang. The woman's life being once insured, she goes away from home. She sends no word back to the man posing as her husband, and in time detectives are employed to search for her. The result is that a body is found that tallies very closely with that of the body of the missing woman when she disappeared. It is believed the women sent to Chicago were to be employed as substitute bodies after the old scheme worked by this man in the west, and which has come to light on several occasions in Chicago within the last three years.

Two Dead and One More Will Die.

George Gore and Frank Martin, miners, and Deputy Sheriff Tatum, assisted by J. Sullivan, a jewelry drummer from Bessemer, engaged in deadly conflict at Belle Ellen, near Blocton, Alabama, the other day. The officer made an attempt to arrest Gore, for whom he had a warrant. Gore resisted and fired two loads of heavy bird shot at the officer. Tatum's pistol twice snapped, but he finally got it into play, and just as Gore fired the second shot his pistol killed Frank Martin, who had come to Gore's assistance. By this time Sullivan had come to the aid of the officer and shot Gore dead with a pistol. Several others were slightly wounded. A mob gathered and made demonstrations against Sullivan and Tatum, but the latter finally won the field. Gore ran a "blind tiger" and had boasted that he would kill the officer who attempted his arrest.

Bank Cashier Suicides.

Treasurer George F. Marsh, life and soul of the Cape Ann Savings bank, Gloucester, Mass., whose deposits are more than $3,025,000, and trustee of funds amounting to $500,000 more, including those of the Gilbert hospital and Gilbert Old People's home, committed suicide by blowing out his



GEORGE F. MARSH.

brains with a carbine Thursday afternoon. The bank examination was in progress, and he had an appointment to meet the trustees. When they met they found a note saying that Mr. Marsh's body would be found at his summer house at Annisquam. They immediately ordered the bank closed for the day, and sent a messenger to Annisquam, who found Marsh nervously pacing back and forth in his home.

The messenger returned to the bank, and shortly afterward Marsh sent his servants on errands. When one returned he found Marsh's dead body in the cellar with a hole in the head as large as a baseball. Near him was the message: "If you think a man is a coward to do this you had better try it."

Beginning early Thursday afternoon, half a dozen men arrived from Boston and were conveyed at once to the bank. These men have been with the bank trustees, who declare that the bank is all right, and that they will issue a statement.

One-fifth of the valuation of Gloucester was on deposit with the bank. Mr. Marsh was director of the estate of George H. Rogers, in whose counting room he was brought up. He was of literary and aesthetic tastes, an antiquarian and founder of the Gloucester Historical society. His residences at Gloucester and at Annisquam were luxuriously fitted up.

It is learned that the Savings Bank examiners a week ago advised the trustees to ask for Marsh's resignation as treasurer, and that the meeting Thursday was for the purpose of accepting it. Marsh is said to have been heavily interested in the stock market, and to have lost most of his fortune. The Savings Bank commissioners Thursday night announced that not a dollar of the bank funds had been touched.

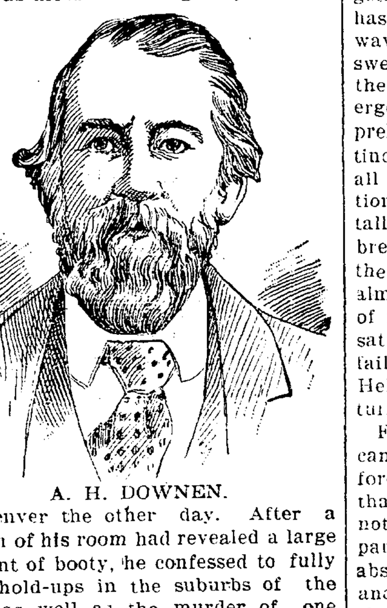
Wednesday night trustees of various trust funds met, and Marsh, their treasurer, was unable to produce those funds. The shortage in these funds is now estimated at $150,000, which, besides his private fortune of $100,000, has been sunk in stock speculations. He was hit especially hard by August money stringency.

Quarrel Followed by Murder.

Mrs. Seemin L. Axe of Omaha was found dead at an early hour the other morning in the street of Council Bluffs, Iowa. She had been shot in the head four or five times. Any one of the wounds would have probably proved fatal instantly. A careful search was made where the body was found, but no clue could be discovered. There were no traces of a struggle. Mrs. Axe was a dressmaker, about 50 years of age. It is believed she was murdered to prevent her from telling something damaging to the murderer. One man says he heard the man and woman quarreling about 9 o'clock the night previous, and heard the man call the woman a liar. The motorman says he saw a man and a woman struggling in the vicinity about 11 o'clock, and heard at least two pistol shots on his return trip soon after midnight.

Confesses Heinous Crimes.

Albert Hence Downen, 45 years of age, was arrested for highway robbery



A. H. DOWNEN.

in Denver the other day. After a search of his room had revealed a large amount of booty, he confessed to fully fifty hold-ups in the suburbs of the city, as well as the murder of one man, Joel Ashworth, and of a man and woman in California. He says he served seventeen years in the California penitentiary for stage robbery and grand larceny, but was never arrested for the murders. The Ashworth murder was committed in June last, and has ever since baffled the police department. Downen says he was trying to hold the man up. He says he will plead guilty of murder, and wants to be hanged rather than serve more time in the penitentiary.

Captured in Oregon.

Word has been received at Hamilton, Ohio, that Lewis Vanhise, wanted at Westchester, Ohio, for murder, is under arrest at Salem, Ore. Lewis Vanhise was indicted by the Butler county, Ohio, grand jury in October, 1891, for the killing of old man Cutler, aged 76 years, at Hart's saloon, in Westchester, September, 1891. The killing was a cold blooded and brutal affair. Vanhise was raising a disturbance in the saloon, and old man Cutler stepped up to him and asked him to be more quiet. Vanhise pulled his revolver and struck Cutler a fearful blow on the temple, fracturing his skull. The affair happened at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and Cutler died the next morning. Vanhise fled the country and up to about two months ago could not be located. Sheriff Bruck and Prosecuting Attorney Smith took up the case, and to them belongs the credit of the capture. Vanhise is also wanted for skipping a $500 bond on a case of horse stealing in June, 1887.

Dark Hints at a Father.

As Mr. Ernest Graff was hunting in a strip of woods on the outskirts of Jasper, Fla., the other day, his dog began scratching the ground near a fallen tree. Mr. Graff made an examination and found a human foot protruding from the ground. The body was buried in a shallow grave and so decomposed as to be unrecognizable. Nearly covered by brush and dirt were found a girl's hat, some underwear, and shoes and stockings. The articles were recognized as having been worn by Lily Gauntling, the 16-year-old daughter of Claiborne Gauntling, a well-to-do citizen of Jasper. The searchers also found a buggy robe, which belonged to Claiborne Gauntling. Six weeks ago the girl was missed and her father said she had gone to Georgia. Gauntling has been arrested, but asserts his innocence. It is believed that Gauntling killed the girl to prevent her accusing him. The feeling is bitter against him and there are threats of lynching.

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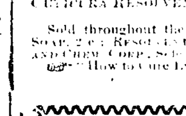

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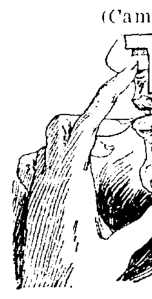
(Cambridge Letter.)

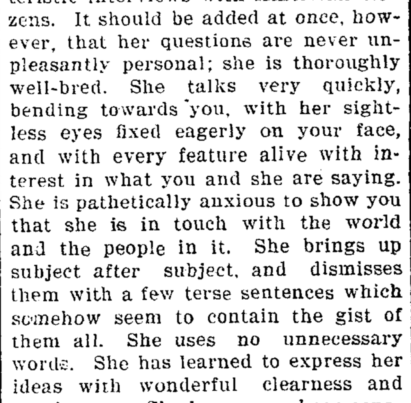


THOUSANDS of Americans, reading the brilliant success of Helen Keller in passing the entrance examination of Harvard University, have made an effort to realize for a moment all that is implied by this achievement of this most wonderful girl of sixteen. They have recalled that she is deaf and dumb and blind and that she has been so since her babyhood; that she lived for years in an abyss of darkness and silence and loneliness; that she did not know where she was nor what nor why, until out of the chaos a human hand was stretched to her, and the apparently hopeless work of communicating with her was begun; that today she stands where that hand has placed her—still deaf, still blind, but in all other respects equal to girls of her age and head and shoulders above the majority of them intellectually; that her greatest ambition is to go through college, and that this ambition is about to be realized.

These are the facts. They are too stupendous to come home to one with convincing force until one has seen and talked to Helen Keller herself, and to the marvelous teacher who went into the outer darkness after her and brought her back into a human world. Meeting these two for the first time, and looking at them as they stand together, the full consciousness of what has been done surges on one—a great wave of comprehension that seems to sweep one, for a horrible moment, into the blackness from which they emerged. During this flash of acute comprehension there are half a dozen distinct impressions. One not only realizes all that was meant by that early condition of isolation, but one follows mentally the slow and painful processes of breaking it—the strain, the patience, the self-sacrifice—and one turns away, almost sick at heart, from the thought of it all. These are not pleasant sensations, but no thinking person can fail to experience them the first time Helen Keller's sightless eyes are turned upon him.

Fortunately they do not last. They cannot, with the girl's eager face before one, radiant with interest in all that is going on. The first trait one notices in her is this desire to be a part of everything about her. She is absolutely devoid of self-consciousness, and being so, she bursts into speech the moment she is introduced to a stranger. Her evident wish is to get from the new personality all that is interesting in it. Her methods in this respect recall Li Hung Chang's characteristic interviews with American citizens. It should be added at once, however, that her questions are never unpleasantly personal; she is thoroughly well-bred. She talks very quickly, bending towards you, with her sightless eyes fixed eagerly on your face, and with every feature alive with interest in what you and she are saying. She is pathetically anxious to show you that she is in touch with the world and the people in it. She brings up subject after subject, and dismisses them with a few terse sentences which somehow seem to contain the gist of them all. She uses no unnecessary words. She has learned to express her ideas with wonderful clearness and conciseness. She has a very keen sense of humor, and responds to the mildest joke with a girlish laugh that is very contagious. All these things you notice within five minutes after your meeting with her. Then, as she talks on, you begin to study her more in detail, and this is what you see:

A well-formed, graceful girl of sixteen, in a perfectly plain dark blue gown that comes to the tops of her



HELEN KELLER.

shoes in schoolgirl fashion. The shoes are well made and well fitting, with good, thick soles and low, sensible heels. Above them you see an inch of dark blue stockings under the plain, full skirt. The waist of her dress fits loosely, and there are no suggestions of corsets or of tight bands about the young girl's waist or neck. The collar of her gown rolls back, leaving her throat bare, and the little puffed sleeves she wears end well above the wrist to permit free play of her wonderful hands. Those hands deserve a chapter to themselves. Their whiteness and delicacy and beauty of shape are delights to the eye, and the extraordinary sensitiveness of their finger-tips cannot be imagined by one who has only the usual sense of touch. These finger-tips, resting lightly on the lips of her friends, carry to Helen Keller's mind the messages from the world in which she lives, unseeing and unhearing. They do more than this, for they keep her in touch with the intellectual life. She reads German, French and English with her fingers resting on the raised letters of the books which have been published for her. Her hands are never still for an instant; one of them is usually clasped in that of Miss Sullivan, the teacher, who is no less a marvel than her wonderful pupil. If Miss Sullivan moves away, Helen follows her, and if the teacher's hands are busy the pupil rests her own palm lightly on the other's shoulder or even gathers a fold of her gown between her fingers and holds that. If one could not see her eyes or hear her voice, this dependence on Miss Sullivan would be the only outward trait to distinguish Helen Keller from other girls of her age. But to return to her appearance.

Her chief beauty, next to her hands, is the mass of short brown curly hair that falls on her shoulders and which is confined only by a small comb. Looking at the face, you are struck first, of course, by the pathos of the eyes that show all too plainly their affliction. Aside from these, there is nothing to sadden one in Helen Keller's appearance. Her chin is beautifully formed, the mouth and teeth are good, her complexion is clear and healthy and the expression of her face wonderfully attractive in its bright alertness. Her voice, strangely enough, lacks the usual monotony of the voices of the deaf. It has rising and falling inflections, and even bits of shading occasionally when the subjects under discussion touch her especially. To un-

ALICE EGELHOFF.

derstand the interest of this it is necessary to recall the fact that she herself has never heard the slightest sound of any kind since she was eighteen months old. Her speech is a little thick and at first it is hard to understand. After listening for a few moments, however, one begins to follow her.

They came to me together Thursday noon in the little reception room of Mr. Arthur Gilman's school for young ladies. Miss Keller is studying there, and not in Radcliffe, as reported. She did, it is true, successfully pass an entrance examination in the four branches she undertook—English, French, German and history. But this was suggested by Mr. Gilman only as a test of her present scholarship.

Until a few years ago Helen knew nothing about death, and she probably has a very vague idea now of what it means. It has just come home to her heavily, for her father died a few weeks ago. He was in Alabama, with her mother, and her grief over the news was very deep. She begged to go to her mother, but was dissuaded by those who have her in charge and who dreaded the effect of continued depression on her impressionable nature. She is wonderfully affected by the mental condition of those about her, and can tell immediately on meeting a person whether that person is happy or the reverse. She may feel any depressing influences the more keenly because she is used to the buoyant atmosphere of Miss Sullivan—that lovely and lovable woman who for nine years has devoted herself day and night to the helpless child. To Miss Sullivan alone belongs the credit of Helen Keller's record today. What Helen has done is not so wonderful when one recalls the concentration that was necessarily put into her work, and the absolute lack of all distracting influences. She developed mentally because, imprisoned as she was, every impulse of her nature helped to push her toward the light. When she enters Radcliffe she will probably carry off all the prizes for the same reason. Her mind to her a kingdom is. There is no other for her, and can be none. With Miss Sullivan it is different. Life has much to offer her, but she has voluntarily put it all aside for this one duty. Her work from the time she took Helen Keller's little hand in her's and taught her the deaf and dumb alphabet nine years ago has been wholly unselfish and unceasing.

ELIZABETH G. JORDAN.

QUEEN OF BEAUTY.

A Jerseyville, Illinois, Girl Who Won in a Recent Contest.

(Jerseyville, Ill., Letter.)

The Daily Democrat held a contest by coupon vote for the prettiest unmarried lady over 16 in Jerseyville. Great interest was taken in the contest and on Saturday night the voting closed. On counting the votes it was found that Miss Alice Egelhoff was the winner. Miss Egelhoff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Egelhoff, old residents of Jerseyville, and a genuine Jerseyville girl, having been born, reared and educated there. She has brown eyes and hair, fair complexion and regular features; a figure of medium height, prettily rounded and graceful. But her personal charms no portriat can reveal—a sincere and gentle manner and a disposition of irresistible sweetness. Miss Egelhoff is a home girl, devoted to her aging parents, whose joy she is.

We are indebted to Dean Hole's book on America for the following anecdote. The dean says that a Denver audience is notably benevolent.

It is said that a chairman, after a depressing address, assured the speaker that his discourse was "moving, soothing and satisfying." When reproved next morning for having commended a dismal failure, he denied the charge and maintained that he had uttered no approbation, but only simple facts—namely, that the lecture was "moving," because a large proportion of the audience fidgeted in their seats, and several left the room; it was "soothing," because many fell asleep, and it was "satisfying," because there was not a single person present who had not had quite enough.

Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

WANTED.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework at 324 West Washington St. 17t3

WANTED—A position to assist in general housework by a young girl. Inquire at 47 West Wayne. 17tf

WANTED—If you want work call at No. 6 Arcade; no money required; ladies and gentlemen. J. W. Barnes. 19tu,th&s-tf

WANTED—Call at the Associated Charities office if you want to hire laboring men or women to do washing or cleaning. Room No. 8 City Hall; telephone, 445. tf

WANTED—A first-class all-around salesman, well acquainted in city, thorough business experience, desires to make a change; correspondence solicited. Address, Salesman, care of Sentinel. 17t2

WANTED—Agents, either sex; $5.00 daily supplying regular customers; goods sell in every house; free samples given for distribution; immense profits; write for samples. Excelsior, 44 S. Mozart St., Chicago, Ill. 29-1m

$2,000 to $2,600 to loan at 6 per cent. on first-class business property; $100 to $2,500 at 7 per cent. on farm or city property; a few small sums on approved personal security. Address, Bayless Swift, box 247, city. 17t2

WANTED—25 second-hand bicycles at L. J. Libbing & Co., 39 E. Main St. 18-2t

NO NEED being out of work when you can make from $10.00 to $20.00 a week canvassing for our line of household and holiday goods. You do not need a dollar to start. Send for terms or call on C. Showalter, mgr., 124 Broadway, Fort Wayne, Ind. n2-1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A No. 2 Caligraph, good as new. Inquire of Geo. H. Loesch, druggist. 18t2

FOR SALE—These are bargains: Three hotels in city, 2 boarding houses, 4 dwellings on DeWald street, 4 on Boone street, 3 on South Calhoun street, 3 on Fairfield avenue, 4 on Creighton avenue, 3 on Barr street, 4 on Superior street, 3 on Chicago street, 3 on South Hanna street, 2 on East Lewis street, 3 in Comparet's addition, 2 on Hillside avenue, 8 in Bloomingdale, 1 on Lake avenue, 2 on Leith street. For further particulars inquire of R. C. Niswonger & Co., 33 Calhoun St., upstairs. tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—An excellent storeroom on Calhoun street. Apply, Sentinel office. tf

FOR RENT—Two very desirable furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire, 172 Holman. 22eodtf

FOR RENT—Five-room house, all modern conveniences, at $10 per month, 222 Madison street, cor. Harmer street. Inquire at Chicago Rug Factory, cor. Wells and Superior Sts. 18t4

FOR RENT—Two delightful office rooms, centrally located; rent reasonable. Apply at Sentinel office. 26tf

FOR RENT—Five-room new house, with bath and all modern improvements. Inquire, Emmett Martin, corner Hanna and Buchanan streets. 31tf

FOR RENT—For six or eight months, to a small family, a furnished house on Washington boulevard. Please address, Box 44, Sentinel office. 12t6

FOR RENT—An eight-room flat, corner Calhoun and Allen streets, with bath room, hard and soft water, natural and artificial gas; rent low to right party. Address, "C," care Sentinel. 11tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—If you want to buy, sell or trade your farm, or exchange for Fort Wayne property, or loan money on long time at 6 per cent., call on S. Friestoffer, 5 and 6 Bank block. 17d&w1m.

LOST.

LOST—On Tuesday, about noon, between the corner of Wayne and Lafayette (on Wayne or Calhoun) and the Lau building, by Mrs. Wehner, of Dayton, Ohio, a handkerchief having 3 rings tied in corner; the rings are valuable to owner as keepsakes. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to Dr. McOscar, 29 West Jefferson street.

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Youthful Color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 50c, and $1.00 at Druggists

St. Lawrence River.

For seven years the St. Lawrence river gradually decreases in depth; then for seven years it gradually increases in depth, the difference in level being about five feet. Why it does so no one has yet discovered.

William Heacock of Marcus Hook, Pa., has a yellow pine chest formerly owned by Andrew Jackson, president of the United States.

LOOK! $1.50

We've Sold Them Before, but

NOT AT THIS PRICE!

It Takes NERVE!

To put out a lot of Solid Oak, 1-4 sawed Polished Bird's Eye Maple, polished Cherry and Mahogany finish, all polished, full size tables, and, say, your choice for $1.50. Wouldn't do it were it not for one thing—want you to have one of the Greatest Bargains ever offered in Fort Wayne. First come, first served.

INDIANA FURNITURE CO.

166 Calhoun Street. Fort Wayne, Indiana.

WE WANT MONEY!

This is neither a catch phrase, or a scheme to deceive the people. All business houses have found this year to be a hard one, and we having an especially large sum to raise, have been compelled much against our will to

SACRIFICE OUR STOCK---TO CUT OUR PRICES DOWN,

For we do not like to sell goods below cost, nor would we do so if we were not absolutely compelled to do so.

Fort Wayne Journal November 8th, 1895, says: "The dissolution of one of the first and most enterprising clothing houses of this city is in progress. Mr. Harry Friend retires from the firm of Friend's Enterprise, but the firm will not lose its identity or the confidence and prestige it enjoys throughout Northern Indiana and Western Ohio. The dissolution is a friendly one, for Mr. Friend retires to engage in the jobbing business at Chicago, and that metropolis wins one of the brightest and most progressive young business men in the West."

It is to satisfy the claim that Mr. Friend holds against us we are compelled to make this sale. The large sum of

$10,000 MUST BE RAISED BEFORE JAN. 1st.

MEN'S SUITS.

REGULAR PRICE $7 00	NOW $4 75
REGULAR PRICE 8 00	NOW 5 35
REGULAR PRICE 8 50	NOW 6 15
REGULAR PRICE 7 50	NOW 5 10
REGULAR PRICE 9 00	NOW 6 90
REGULAR PRICE 10 00	NOW 7 35
REGULAR PRICE 12 00	NOW 8 75
REGULAR PRICE 13 50	NOW 9 25
REGULAR PRICE 16 00	NOW 11 35
REGULAR PRICE 18 00	NOW 13 75

BOYS' SUITS, 14 to 19 Years.

REGULAR PRICE $5 00	NOW $3 60
REGULAR PRICE 6 50	NOW 3 95
REGULAR PRICE 7 50	NOW 5 00
REGULAR PRICE 8 00	NOW 5 75
REGULAR PRICE 10 00	NOW 7 25
REGULAR PRICE 6 00	NOW 3 85
REGULAR PRICE 9 00	NOW 5 95
REGULAR PRICE 7 00	NOW 4 85
REGULAR PRICE 12 00	NOW 7 85
REGULAR PRICE 15 00	NOW 9 90

Children's Suits.

REGULAR PRICE $2 50	NOW $1 35
REGULAR PRICE 3 00	NOW 1 85
REGULAR PRICE 3 50	NOW 2 15
REGULAR PRICE 4 00	NOW 2 35
REGULAR PRICE 4 50	NOW 2 80
REGULAR PRICE 5 00	NOW 3 85
REGULAR PRICE 5 50	NOW 4 00
REGULAR PRICE 6 00	NOW 4 35
REGULAR PRICE 7 00	NOW 4 85
REGULAR PRICE 7 50	NOW 5 00

Men's Overcoats.

Regular Price $6 50	Now $4 45
Regular Price 5 00	Now 3 75
Regular Price 8 00	Now 6 15
Regular Price 8 50	Now 6 65
Regular Price 10 50	Now 7 35
Regular Price 10 00	Now 7 50
Regular Price 11 00	Now 7 85
Regular Price 12 00	Now 9 15
Regular Price 14 00	Now 9 75
Regular Price 15 50	Now 11 35
Regular Price 16 50	Now 12 35
Regular Price 18 50	Now 13 00
Regular Price 25 00	Now 18 50

Boys' Overcoats.

Regular Price $5 00	Now $3 15
Regular Price 6 00	Now 3 85
Regular Price 7 00	Now 4 10
Regular Price 7 50	Now 4 25
Regular Price 8 00	Now 4 50
Regular Price 9 00	Now 5 65
Regular Price 10 00	Now 6 15
Regular Price 11 00	Now 6 35
Regular Price 12 00	Now 6 80
Regular Price 13 00	Now 7 00
Regular Price 13 50	Now 7 25
Regular Price 14 00	Now 7 90
Regular Price 15 00	Now 8 00

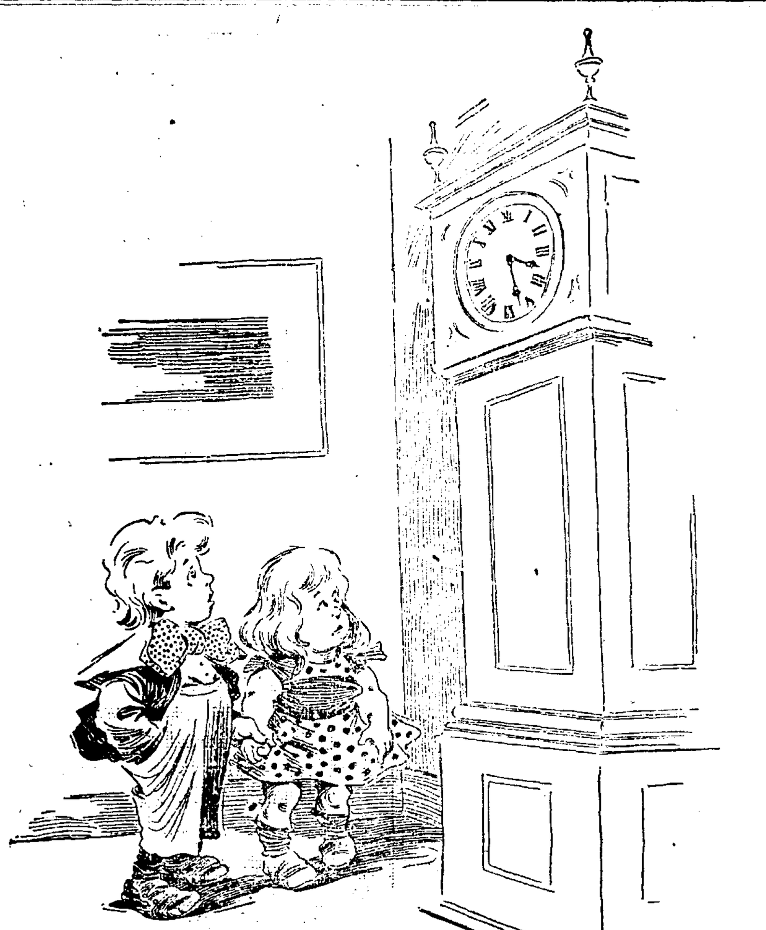
Children's Overcoats and Reefers.

Regular Price $2 50	Now $1 00
Regular Price 3 00	Now 2 00
Regular Price 3 50	Now 2 35
Regular Price 4 00	Now 2 85
Regular Price 4 50	Now 3 15
Regular Price 5 00	Now 3 25
Regular Price 5 50	Now 3 40
Regular Price 6 00	Now 4 60
Regular Price 6 50	Now 4 35
Regular Price 7 00	Now 4 85
Regular Price 7 50	Now 5 00
Regular Price 8 00	Now 5 15
Regular Price 8 50	Now 5 35

SPECIAL BARGAINS IN FURNISHING GOODS.

15c Celluloid Collars, 5c. Linen Collars, 10c. 35c Suspenders, 13c. 75c Underwear, 42c. 30c Knee Pants, 13c. 50c and 75c Waists, 13c. 40c Overalls, 25c. 25c Underwear, 13c.
50c Sleeve Buttons, 13c. 50c Knee Pants, 36c. 35c Celluloid Cuffs, 15c. Bib Overalls, 45c. $1 50 Hat, 92c. $2.00 Hat $1 35. $2 50 Hat, $1.87. $3 Hat, $2.15. Come and see these goods for yourselves.

FRIEND'S ENTERPRISE,
Corner Calhoun and Berry Streets.



Small Visitor—Gee swipes! I wonder where th' slot ter that thing is. I'd like ter get weighed.

"Yo' bettah teek keer, Mistah Hawks, fust thing yo' know, yo'll be hevin' de chickin' pox.

RAILWAY ECHOES.

A New Feature in Western Freight Circles.

Clamoring for a Restoration of the Accommodation Train Service--Affairs About Depot and Shop.

An Associated Press dispatch from Chicago this morning contained the following items of news: "It is announced that the new Western Freight association will have a committee composed of officials no lower in rank than assistant general freight agent, in addition to its executive and administrative boards. Just how the membership will be apportioned among the roads has not yet been made clear. In the Southwestern Traffic association, in which there are but four large systems, each sends a freight official to act on the committee when it meets. There are so many roads in the Western Freight asssociation that the same plan is hardly practicable. It may be followed, however, for no line will care to have its rates made for it by a body of men connected with competing lines.

"C. Densmore Wyman, at present general manager of the Milwaukee (Wis.) Street Railway company, has been elected general manager of the New Orleans Traction company, under a reorganization and general overhauling of the concern. Mr. Wyman is credited with having taken the Milwaukee Street railway when it went into the hands of a receiver and built it up to an excellent standard. He has been also connected with New York street railway lines."

TRAVELING MEN PUT UP A KICK.

Now that there is an increase in business throughout the country and a consequent increase in the number of traveling salesmen on the road, the feeling that the railways should better their facilities for handling local business is being revived. Traveling men claim that, as trains now run on the lines through this section, and particularly on the Pennsylvania and Wabash roads, they are unable to "make" the towns in their territory, within the time allowed for such purposes, without expending considerable money on livery rigs. There is some talk of holding a meeting for the purpose of inaugurating a concerted movement looking toward the restoration of the accommodation trains which were taken off of the lines some months ago.

GROUPE OF WELL KNOWN MACHINISTS.

At noon today all the employes of the Pittsburg machine shop who had worked there twenty years or more and who are still on the pay rolls were photographed. In the groupe were Hugh Hogan, Allen Hamilton, Joseph F. Wooff, D. C. Bitner, William Hosey, George Geller, William Madison, P. J. Hess, E. G. Pierce, Andrew Tegtmeyer, H. T. Mills, Henry A. Moellering, John Nolan, John Collins, Henry H. Sommers, P. J. Singleton, L. R. Buckwalter, M. J. Lee, Hugh M. Diehl, James Cairnes, George Scott, sr., William Harrison, Peter Harber and John Shuster. There are three or four other men who were entitled to sit in this groupe, but sickness prevented them from getting down to the shop.

BRIEF MENTIONS.

S. M. Goslee has taken a position as brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Willard Knight left last evening for Michigan, in the interest of the electric corporation.

Sickness keeps John E. Benward from his work in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

Henry Geerken, the boilermaker, was at Lima last night, repairing a Pennsylvania local engine.

J. H. Hobrock, assistant Pennsylvania shop clerk, was in Chicago yesterday on company's business.

Crawford Griswold and his gang of carpenters are making repairs on the watch tower at Warsaw this week.

Chief Dispatcher W. H. Tigar and Dispatcher Jesse F. Patterson made a trip over the west end of the Pittsburg road today.

J. M. Wells is now conductor on the east local on the Nickel Plate, vice W. S. Steadman, who has taken a few days' leave of absence.

Frank Gruber and Robert Schellheimer, boilermakers at the Bass works, have gone to St. Louis to set up a large condenser in the gas works.

Master Mechanic Barney Fitzpatrick, of the Pittsburg, has not yet appointed an assistant and guessing as to who will get the office is abating.

M. R. Hardendorf, who was off duty on account of the sickness of his little son, reported for work at the Pittsburg shops this morning. The lad is better.

East bound shipments from Chicago last week were 74,184 tons, against 78,634 for the preceding week and 76,441 for the corresponding week of last year.

John Connors resumed his work in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning after attending the trial of Bradway at Huntington. Bradway was accused of picking Mr. Connors' pockets last month, but the evidence was not sufficient to convict and the prisoner was released.

Al Becker, Nickel Plate engineer, has taken a vacation, which he will spend in fishing.

The little baby of Stenographer Thomas Comparet, of the Bass offices, is quite sick.

Fred Spaulding, one of the construction men for the electric works, is lying ill at his home.

The shops of the Wabash at Decatur, Ill., have been started up, full time, with 300 men.

William Doulan, machinist at the electric works, and Miss Doyle will be married on November 25.

Master Mechanic C. H. Doebler is out on his periodical tour of the Wabash lines in his jurisdiction today.

The Southern Railway company has plans prepared for the erection of a $500,000 depot at Knoxville, Tenn.

John Gribbins has completed the work of installing an electric plant at Portland, Mich., and has returned home.

Representatives of railway supply houses are calling on master mechanics in large numbers the last few days.

M. S. Willson, foreman of the testing room at the electric works, went to Michigan City today to repair a plant.

The capacity of the yards of the New York Central at Utica is to be enlarged to hold 1,200 cars, involving an outlay of $25,000.

E. J. King, of the meter department of the electric works, has gone to Port Clinton and Tiffin, Ohio, on business for the company.

H. Walter Webb, third vice president of the New York Central, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is thought to be recovering.

The Wabash ticket office at this point sold twenty-five tickets to parties going down to Indianapolis to attend the Odd Fellows meetings, which are now being held.

Yesterday Frank Maloney, the Nickel Plate fireman, accompanied his father to Chicago. The elder Maloney resides in the west and is now en route home after visiting his son.

Conductor Louis Smart has returned to his run on the Nickel Plate after spending a few days in hunting quail. Brakeman A. Sanders, of the same road, also resumed work yesterday after a few days' absence.

A. Gruber, a coppersmith, and C. Rupple, a flue welder, of the Pittsburg shops, have returned to work after a few days' absence, the former to look after private affairs and the latter on account of sickness.

The item yesterday concerning the illness of Mr. Philley should have read Walter, instead of Agent E. S. Philley. The reporter was misinformed as to the identity of the sick man. Walter Philley is the son of E. S. Philley and is the efficient assistant county clerk.

Joseph Slater, foreman of the Bass blacksmith shop, is confined to bed by a severely sprained back. He had made preparations for a trip [illegible] firm, intending to start yesterday [illegible] made a postponement [illegible].

W. E. Turner, night [illegible] at the Nickel Plate [illegible] taking a week's vacation and is preparing for a visit with friends at Marion, Ind. Harry E. Baum is acting as [illegible] clerk during Mr. Turner's absence.

The officials of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas have decided to at once replace thirty-seven wooden Howe truss bridges on their line with steel bridges, and will let the contract immediately.

The Haskell & Barker Car works, at Michigan City, are building 1,000 box cars for the Chicago and Northwestern, and last week the Wisconsin Central placed an order with them for 100 box cars.

W. S. Danes, superintendent of bridges and buildings of the Wabash, is now having the shops and round house in this city put in shape for winter. The roofs, doors and windows are being repaired.

The Big Four has at Benton Harbor practically two miles of water front, it extending from Benton Harbor to the lake. Persons competent to judge of its value say that even now it is worth $250,000.

It is stated that the Joint Traffic association has signified a willingness to withdraw the charges against the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City, which has been characterized as a boycott on the Clover Leaf.

A contract has been closed by which a $200,000 union station is to be built at Des Moines jointly by the Chicago Great Western, the Des Moines Northern and Western, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Wabash.

Indianapolis Journal: "As evidence of an improvement in business it is stated that for industries located on the Belt road that company handled last week 816 cars, against 486 in the week ending Nov. 7, an increase of 330 cars."

Engineer Thomas Ozier, of the Nickel Plate, has returned from Battle Creek, Mich., where he spent three weeks in the sanitarium in the vain hope of getting relief from stomach troubles. He is no better than when he went there.

The condition of Machinist Walter Adams, of the Bass works, is not so favorable today. For a week he has been afflicted with rheumatism of the hips and lower limbs and now the malady has extended to his shoulders, rendering him almost helpless.

It is said to be probable that before the first of next month George Bradbury, vice president and general manager of the Lake Erie and Western and other Brice lines, will appoint a traffic manager. The position has been vacant since the death of Harry Parker.

Norman Beckley, one of the oldest railroad men in the state, is now general agent of the Big Four on the Michigan division. Mr. Beckley has just completed his fifty-first year in railroad service. He located and built what is now the Michigan division of the Big Four lines.

George R. Peck, general counsel for the St. Paul Railroad company, fell down the elevator shaft at the Shoreham hotel, Washington, Sunday night, and broke his right arm and left hand. He was unconscious when found by the elevator attendant and remained so for some hours.

Joseph Dando, the Erie engineer who was so seriously injured near Dayton, Ohio, over a year ago, has entirely recovered and is again at [illegible]. Mr. Dando was well known here, having married [illegible] Huntington.

A young man named Quinn, [illegible] at Valparaiso several [illegible] ago by Detective Stoll, of the Fort Wayne road, on the suspicion that he was implicated in a rape case in Kentucky, was released yesterday morning by Sheriff Stoddard, who received word from the Kentucky parties that he was not the man wanted.

The projectors of the St. Joseph Valley road, which is now located from Benton Harbor to Nappanee, are pushing the work. Two hundred men are grading, a construction train is being run and the track layers last week put down a mile of track. There seems to be some mystery as to who the capitalists behind the project are.

A party of hunters numbering sixty-five passed through this city this morning over the Pittsburg, en route to Mobile, Alabama. This party is composed of citizens of Middlepoint and Convoy, Ohio. At Chicago they will take the Wabash route to St. Louis, where they will meet a party of hunters from this city, which left last evening, and continue the journey together.

Stock cars to the number of 2,380, laden with stock of all kinds, arrived at the Chicago stock yards Monday. This is the largest number of cars ever received at the yards in one day, or at any other stock market in the world, where there was no artificial interruption. The previous big run was directly after the American Railway union strike, July 30, 1894, when the number reached 2,374.

The new bridge over the Mississippi river, between Davenport and Rock Island, will be completed within ten days. It has been built jointly by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and the government, the latter paying 40 per cent. of its cost. The bridge consists of eight spans, of which one is a draw span. The trusses are calculated to carry a total moving load of 11,360 pounds per lineal foot, of which 8,000 pounds are on the railroad floor and 3,360 pounds on the roadway floor. The solid corrugated steel railway floor, together with the guard angles and rail plates, weighs about 940 pounds per lineal foot of the bridge. The draw span, which weighs, approximately, 2,500,000 pounds, is one of the heaviest ever built. The chain motion moving the span is one of the departures from the usual methods.

I have for rent, at 128 Walton avenue, near east yards, a desirable seven room house, in perfect repair. A very convenient home for a rail road man who takes his train at the east yards.

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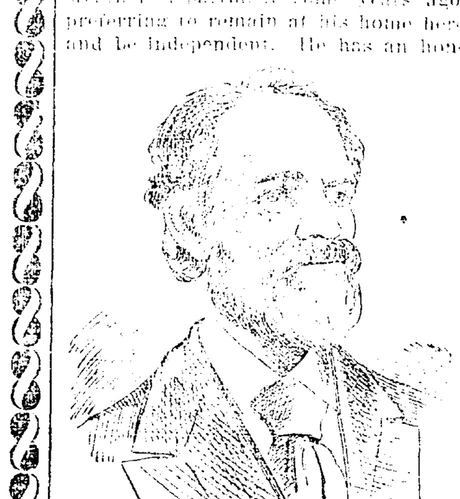
Mothers, Be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. Mayseod&w

MANY YEARS OF PREDICTION.

Joseph C. H. Swan, the Sage of White Water, a Feeble Old Man.

Joseph C. H. Swan, "the sage of White Water" (Kansas), is in a feeble condition and his services to the farming communities of the west have not made him a rich man. Weather forecasting is not a profitable business and the old man is now traveling about the country selling his book for a living.

"Old Probs" Swan was born in Wayne county, Ind., where the city of Richmond now stands on July 3, 1821. He came to Kansas in 1875. Mr. Swan received little or no education, and [illegible] made a weather prophet of [illegible]. He began to keep daily records of weather and finally discovered that [illegible] moved in cycles of twenty years. [illegible] repetition of a severe frost in [illegible] twenty-seven years of daily observation led him to go over his data, and to his surprise he learned that he was repeating or duplicating his past records. Making this discovery he [illegible] [illegible] wrote a brief [illegible] to cover the next [illegible] to Kansas he [illegible] for the [illegible] and [illegible] for [illegible] to call for the publication of his predictions and in [illegible] profits [illegible] goods. He claims that [illegible] predictions have come true. [illegible] weather [illegible] forecasting from history covering [illegible] of the past in addition to the proof of his records. He has looked up statistics and meteorological reports as far back as can be found in America. He refused an appointment in the weather department some years ago, preferring to remain at his home here and be independent. He has an honored record in the army and is a man noted for his scholarship as well as his moral life and character.



JOSEPH C. H. SWAN, THE SAGE.

The Cow and the Ring.

A gold ring that is supposed to have spent nearly two years in a cow's stomach was sent the other day to its owner, a young lady of Homestead, Pa. Two years ago the young lady was visiting on a dairy farm near here, and while in the barn picked up a kitten and tossed it in a pile of chop and bran. With the kitten went the gold ring from her finger, which could not be found, and was given up and finally forgotten. Several days ago Edward Jones, a Suterville butcher, bought a cow from Frank Hough, the dairyman, and when the cow was killed the ring, with the young lady's name engraved upon it, was found in its stomach.

Valuable Rug.

A rug only four feet square, but which had 576 stitches and knots to the square inch, was lately sold in London for a sum equal to $10,000 of our money.

How to Set Color.

To set the color in colored cotton dresses that are to be washed, dissolve 3 gills of salt in 4 quarts of hot water, put the material in while the water is hot and let it remain until cold. In this way the colors are rendered permanent and will not fade in washing.

How to Make Fish Scallop.

Remains of any white fish make a delicious scallop with the addition of cheese, and, by the way, it is satisfactory to know that good American cheese, if not too fresh, is pronounced by the proper authorities as excellent for cooking purposes. Mash the fish with bread crumbs, grated cheese and anchovy sauce or any catchup liked. Bake in shells with a layer of bread crumbs, grated cheese and wee "dabs" of butter on top.

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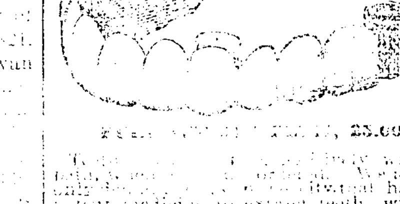

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Born Steel Ranges, $25.00.
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Hard coal base burners.
Gas stoves, ranges and radiators.
Round oaks and wood heaters.
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Gas stoves, $2.25.

Silverware Dept.

Silver plated tea kettles.
Silver plated coffee and tea pots.
Nickle plated stew kettles and pans.
Roger Bros. silverware—soup ladles, berry spoons, cold meat forks, oyster forks, orange spoons, sugar shells, butter knives, tea spoons table spoons, after dinner coffee spoons, knives and forks.
Pearl agate tea and coffee pots.

Tinware Dept.

Dish Pans	$ 10
10 quart pails	10
Dust pans	05
2 quart oyster pails	05
Copper tea kettles No. 8	75
Tin rim sieves	10
Royal roasters, the very finest	
Cuspidores	10
Coal hods	20
Chamber pails	20
Granite bowls	19
Best No. 8 all copper wash boilers, for one week	2 00
Tubular lanterns	49
40 quart milk cans	2 75

Hardware Dept.

Fine builders hardware.

Rim locks for doors	$ 10
Mortise locks	10
Rim and Mortise knobs	10
Wood saws, auger bits and planes	
Hand saws	35
Screw drivers, hammers & hatchets.	
Rules	5 & 10

Table castors.
Carriage bolts.
Cross cut saws.

Hollow-ware Dept.

Drip pans	$ 10
Ground Skillets No. 8	10
Cake griddles. Iron pots. Iron Kettles. Fry pans.	
Stove pipe	10
Elbows	10

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Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station, Fort Wayne, Ind.

East Bound.	West Bound.
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*7 00 a.m. From Chi.	*5 10 a.m.
†11 10 p.m.	† 8 00 a.m.
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In effect Sept. 27, 1896.

NORTH BOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and north	2 40 am
†	8 15 am
†	2 55 pm
†From Richmond arrives	6 25 pm

SOUTH BOUND.

*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 45 am
†	5 45 am
†	12 35 pm
†From Grand Rapids arrives	7 15 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday.

Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets. Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan St. Nos. 3 and 4 and local freight trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

EAST.	Arrive.	Depart.
*No. 2 N. Y. & Boston Ex.	*2 55 am	*3 05 am
†No. 4. Cleveland Mail	1 50 pm	2 00 pm
*No. 6 Eastern Express	*6 20 pm	*6 25 pm
†Local Freight	4 25 pm	7 20 am
WEST.	**Arrive.**	**Depart.**
*No. 1 Chicago Express	*1 55 am	*2 05 am
†No. 3 Chicago Mail	1 05 pm	1 15 pm
*No. 5 Western Express	*4 05 pm	*4 10 pm
†Local Freight	3 22 pm	7 00 am

*Daily. †Daily Except Sunday

WABASH RAILROAD.
Effective May 17, 1896.

No.	GOING EAST.	DEPART.
2.	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4:48 am
10.	Toledo Local Ex., daily	6:00 am
6.	N. Y. and N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11:48 am
4.	Fast Mail and Exp., ex. Sunday	7:25 pm
	GOING WEST.	
5.	Pacific Express, ex. Sunday	8:00 am
7	Kan. City Cannon Ball, daily	1:00 pm
1.	Government Fast Mail, daily	6:30 pm
3.	St. Louis Vestibule Lim., daily	8:10 pm
73.	Andrews Local, ex. Sunday	1:00 pm
11.	Toledo Accom. ar., ex. Sunday	12:30 pm
9.	Toledo-Ft W. spec. Sun. only, ar.	10:30 pm

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch.

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE.
No. 462 Way Freight	5 25 pm
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	11 00 am
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	3 55 pm
NORTHWARD.	**DEPART.**
No. 463 Way Freight	6 40 am
No. 457 Through Express and Mail	11 45 am
No. 459 Detroit and Indianap'lis Ex	4 45 pm

A new and Beautiful assortment of Cut Glass, Bohemian and Venetian Glass Vases, just received and to be sold at the lowest prices ever given in the city, to enable us to retire from business.

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Also 112 piece Dinner Sets decorated, only $7.50.

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Cashier—John Mohr, Jr

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Safe deposit boxes for rent at $5 per annum.

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Thanksgiving Day Hospitality!

Noble, splendid, generous, New England hospitality--was there ever hospitality like it?

OUR PART is to furnish the cheering signs of it--the spread for the dinner feast, the cloth, generous in size and spotlessly white; the napkins, the doylies, the odd dishes to serve the food, the Cut Glass ware.

THE LINEN DEPARTMENT

has made extensive preparations for this occasion, showing Table Linens as pretty and good as is known. New patterns, rich and fine, linens thick, yet so soft, you wonder it can be so soft.

There are patterns of Hindoo Scroll, Vine and Shamrock, Ivy sprig, Roman scroll, Narcissus, Panel, Maiden hair fern, Pansy, Oak Ivy, Fleur-de-lis and others.

The cloths come in

8 by 8 size, $1.50 up to $3.00 Each.
8 by 10 size, $2.00 up to $7.50 Each.
8 by 12 size, $2.25 up to $9.00 Each.
8 by 14 size, $2.00 up to $12.00 Each.
8 by 16 size, $3.00 up to $20.00.
10 by 10 size, $3.50 up to $10.00.
10 by 12 size, $3.00 up to $13.50.
10 by 14 size, $3.25 up to $15.00.

THE NAPKINS

Come in ¾ size, $1.00 up,
⅞ size, $1.25 up.
Some very fine Scotch Damask sets, one cloth and one dozen napkins to match. Come in
8 by 10 size, $3.50 to $5.00.
8 by 12 size, $4.50 to $6.00.

Fine Bleached Scotch Damasks to make into cloths.
64 inch, 50c a yard.
66 inch, 65 and 75c.
72 inch, 75c, 85c, $1.00 to $1.50.
Napkins to match these cloths.
¾ size, $1.00 to $3.00 dozen.
24 inch, $1.75 to $5.00 dozen.
27 inch, 75c to $9.00 dozen.

Tray Cloths, fringed, hemmed or plain,
12½c to 60c a piece.

Finger Bowl Doylies, $1 to $2 dozen.

Round, oval and oblong Doylies, 5c each to 15c.
Sideboard Scarf, 60c, 65c to $1.00.
Meat Cloths, 25c up.

CHINAWARE.

Up in the second floor a fine display of China. Single piece novelties of beautiful designs, all have an interesting price story.

EMPIRE JACKETS.

The Empire has taken a firm hold on the fancy of buyers--a decidedly new, swell and altogether, the most attractive of the new shapes shown this season. Among the cloths from which they are made are seen Irish Frieze, Kersey, Covert, Matalasse, Boucle, Unfinished Worsted, Cheviots, Persian Lamb Cloth and Bedford Cloths.

Prices $5.00 to $20.00.

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In Coats and Gretchens; wraps that are just made for Children, made of handsome, fancy cloths.

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On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7, Bass Blk. 2tf

A large stock of dry goods still remaining unsold; all must go. "Fair." Trustee's Sale. 16 3

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
SPECIALS

On the above days we will sell all LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HOSIERY at a discount of

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We will offer our whole line of CORSETS at a discount of

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STAMPED LINENS, the Most Complete Line in the City.
STAMPING DONE FREE. Over 500 designs to select from.
M'CALL'S BAZAAR PATTERNS, the Best Fitting Patterns Made. ***Nothing Over 15 Cents.***
December Styles on Sale.

REMEMBER--Our Great Sale lasts but three days more.

DUNN & TAFT.

New Hours.

The Conservatory of Music, the largest and most complete music school in the west, recently established at Elkhart, Ind., by the Hon. C. G. Conn, with such professors of international reputation as Jules Levy, Lefevre and others, have decided to use the Everett Piano exclusively and have had a number of them placed in the school. Persons familiar with the Everett are not surprised at the selection, as competent judges have always awarded them highest honors at every point where they have been exhibited. Pre-eminent in artistic tone, quality unsurpassed in any point essential to excellence, has made the Everett the standard of American pianofortes.

The Everett warerooms in this city are at No. 34 East Berry street, where you are always welcome and where a full line of the new styles are constantly displayed.

One of the principal features of the Everett is the fact that the price is within the reach of all and terms are most liberal.

The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 1896.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office - - - - - - - - No. 173.
Editorial Rooms - - - - - - - - No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—For Indiana: Showers, turning to snow flurries tonight; fair Thursday; very much colder with cold wave in northern portions; high westerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. J. C. Peltier is visiting at Detroit.

Mrs. Will Heckman left this morning for Indianapolis, to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Frieda Kruse, of 30 Allegier street, has gone to Dayton to visit relatives and friends.

The Fort Wayne Grays will give a social entertainment at their armory, on Broadway, on the 25th inst.

A Catholic fair is in progress at the St. Rose church, in Monroeville. This is Father L. R. Paquet's church.

The Standard club will give a ball Thanksgiving and a children's entertainment will be given November 23.

Miss Mary G. O'Dowd has accepted a position as stenographer in the office of the W. L. Carnahan Shoe company.

A. W. Freese and wife have returned home from a delightful visit with relatives and friends at Old Fort, Ohio.

The board of managers of the Door of Hope will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home, 141 Cass street.

Mrs. Jacob Fry, of John street, who has been quite sick with an attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, is convalescing.

Mr. John Dunn, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is the guest of his niece, Mrs. P. W. Schaden, of 349 West Jefferson street.

Carl P. Swain left last evening for Utica, N. Y., to resume his duties as traveling salesman for the Bowser Oil Tank company.

The members of the North Side reading room are requested to meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the room, 96 Wells street.

Charles Hilcher, of Chicago, is in the city for the purpose of building a new baking oven at the Haffner bakery, on East Lewis street.

The High school foot ball team are contemplating a trip to Kendallville on Saturday, when they hope to win a game with the team of that town.

Mrs. T. H. Coleman, of 76 John street, gave a four-course dinner Tuesday in compliment to visiting guests. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Freese, Mrs. J. B. Olinger.

Mad Anthony Hive No. 27 will give an "Impersonation Social" Friday evening at the home of Mrs. William Somers, No. 325 West Jefferson street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Krauhs, of 312 Broadway, a ten pound girl. Mr. Krauhs is the well known shoemaker for Aug. Spiegel, on Broadway, and is receiving many congratulations.

Albert A. W. Smythe, of Toronto, Canada, will deliver a free lecture at the rooms of the Theosophical society, Berry and Harrison streets, tomorrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The subject will be "The Crusade."

The King's Daughters will give an entertainment entitled, "The Family Album," on Friday evening, at the Third Presbyterian church. The proceeds will go towards a Thanksgiving dinner for poor children.

Mrs. George DeWald will entertain the L'Orphelin club next Tuesday, as it is the tenth anniversary of the society. The club was organized for the purpose of sewing for the orphans of St. Vincent's Orphans' home.

Sherman Malcolm, the real estate dealer, left his horse and buggy standing in front of the White bank yesterday afternoon and the animal wandered away. The outfit was found by the police last night and put up at a livery barn.

The Home Missionary committee of the West Wayne Presbytery met at Kendallville yesterday. The committee is composed of the Rev. J. M. Boggs, D. D., of Fort Wayne, the Rev. M. M. Lawson, of Lima, and the Rev. G. A. Mackintosh, of Kendallville.

It is all right for societies and churches to solicit among the stores, but when they ask a merchant to give up his advertising space in a newspaper for their benefit, it is carrying the matter entirely too far. They might as well ask the merchant to give up the receipts of his store for one day.

Mrs. Jane Muldoon and son, Albert, have moved to the city from their farm home south of Fort Wayne and will occupy a handsome new home now being built on Force street. For the present they are located in apartments over the store of William Muldoon on Fairfield avenue.

The following building permits were issued yesterday: Henry Hilgeman, to build a two story frame house on lot 12, Chute's Homestead addition, to cost $350; Killian Baker, a one story frame building on the east half of lot 68, County addition, for $175. The new building will be used as a shop for dressing lumber, Mr. Baker finding the addition necessary on account of increasing business.

New Smoked Halibut.

Nice Fresh Smoked Halibut, 10c lb.
New Smoked Yarmouth Bloaters, 1½c each.
Smoked White Fish, 8c lb.
New Hollard Herring, 90c keg.
Extra Mess Mackerel, 15c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Mrs. Rupert has returned from a visit at Van Wert.

Mrs. Charles Centlivre will entertain friends this evening.

Mrs. John A. Riedmiller, of South Broadway, has gone to New York City.

William Meyer, the hatter, left for Decatur and other surrounding towns today, to sell hats.

The J. F. F. club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Eugene McLachlan, of Anna avenue.

The Ninety-six sporting club will have a big shooting match at the White range the early part of next week.

How do you like our new dress? Its brightness may dazzle the eyes for a few days, but it will soon adjust itself to your vision.

Mrs. J. H. Douglass left today for Dayton, Ohio, where she expects to spend three or four weeks with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Daudo.

Mrs. H. Estby and Miss Clara Estby, who are walking across the continent, have their photographs for sale at the drug store of Gross & Pellins.

Invitations have been received in the city for a grand ball to be given by the Huntertown McKinley club at that place Thursday evening, November 19.

Frank Allen, who completes his fourth and last year in the study of medicine this term at the Fort Wayne college, will locate at Michigan in his profession.

John Schlagel, who was for a time proprietor of the Plaza hotel in this city, but late of The Marvin, Findlay, Ohio, has taken a position with the Sprague collection agency at Chicago.

Will Gouty today received a letter stating that almost all of the leading high grade bicycles would be put out at the same price next year as they sold for during the past season.

Mrs. J. W. Hockiday and Mrs. Hackett, of Toledo, are the guests today of Mr. and Mrs. George Fosler. The visiting ladies had been at Van Wert and are now en route home.

Mrs. Sarah Berg and daughter, of Lancaster, Pa., are in the city on a visit to her brother, A. Holsworth, of West Wayne street. They are on their way to Sac City, Iowa, to visit a sister.

Mrs. John Stadtler, of Muncie, who has been in the city several days, returned last evening to her home, accompanied by her son, Master John, who was taking treatment for rheumatism. The boy is entirely cured.

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AT THE HOTELS.

Arrivals at the Different City Hostelries.

Gossip in the Lobbies--Scottish Rite Headquarters at the Randall.

The Randall hotel is the official headquarters of the Scottish Rite Masons, and as a result Host Townsend has had an unusually large amount of business yesterday and today. These guests will leave tonight, the Masonic rites being over this afternoon. Among the commercial guests here are Will Bowman, of Indianapolis; John S. Glenn, of Huntington; S. H. Moore, of Hillsdale; Ward Douglass, son and governess, Indianapolis.

WAYNE.

Among the arrivals at the Wayne are T. W. Tuttle, Geneva, Ind.; C. S. Stone, Indianapolis; E. M. Fye, Oxford, Ohio; J. M. Knight, Boston; J. W. Campbell, Philadelphia.

NEW AVELINE.

Among the guests at the New Aveline are T. H. Groves, of Cleveland, who is proprietor of the Bankrupt store in this city; John J. Hart, Huntington; W. H. Megley, Columbia City; D. B. and A. R. Clugston, Columbia City; Fred Tucker and wife, Warsaw.

RICH.

Among the guests at the Rich are Ed S. Gilbruth, Plymouth, Ind.; E. R. Smith, Pennville, Ind.; C. E. Cowgill, Kinzie, Ind.; George H. Wagner, Peru, Ind.

HARMON.

Philip Lintlag, night clerk at the Harmon, has gone to the Gulf of Mexico with a hunting party. C. B. Sigler, the day clerk, is doing the work during Mr. Litlag's absence, and Chris Newcomer, the manager, is doing the courtesies of the day job.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

Creighton Avenue Church Exercises Next Sunday.

Interesting Program Arranged for the Occasion--Rev. Updike Arrives.

The new Creighton avenue Church of Christ will be dedicated next Sunday. Rev. J. V. Updike, who will be the pastor of the church, arrived last evening from Memphis, Tenn., after completing his evangelistic campaign, and will be present at the dedication. The program for Sunday will be as follows:

MORNING.

Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" ....Congregation
Responsive reading of the Twentieth Psalm
Invocation.... The pastor
Hymn—"Nearer My God to Thee" ....Congregation
Scripture lesson—1 Kings, 1-30.... The pastor
Prayer ....F. M. Rains, D. D.
Bass solo.... Prof. H. A. Easton, Danville, Ill.
Dedicatory sermon
....Rev. F. M. Rains, D. D., Cincinnati
Free will offerings and pledges
Doxology
Benediction

AFTERNOON, 3 O'CLOCK.

Fellowship and communion service
Hymn—"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"
Scripture reading and prayer
Communion
Fellowship
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EVENING.

Song service.... Prof. H. A. Easton
Reading and prayer
Solo.... Prof. Easton
Sermon.... Rev. F. M. Rains, D. D.
Dedicatory prayer

Miss Effie Richey entertained a party of friends in honor of Miss Margaret Spencer last evening.

At the St. Paul M. E. church revival last night there were eleven persons at the altar in prayer and eleven conversions.

William Muldoon, the Fairfield avenue grocer, has received a letter stating that his brother-in-law, William Drew, is very low with adpendicitis, at his home, in Waukegan, Ill. Mr. Drew married Mr. Muldoon's sister, in this county, a few months ago.

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Clothing and underwear extremely cheap at the "Fair." Trustee's Sale. 16 3

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Smoked Meat and Tongue.
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AUGUST HERMANN.

New President of the Municipal Improvement Society.

August Hermann, the newly elected president of the American Society for Municipal Improvements, was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, thirty-seven years ago, and has lived there ever since. For six years he has been a member of the city board of administration, having charge of eleven municipal departments. He is also a member of the board of water commissioners, and has been a member of the board of education. He is a self-made man. Early in life he became a printer, and worked for several years as a compositor on the Cincinnati Enquirer. He gained recognition and prominence as a citizen by the interest he manifested in public affairs. He is active in politics

A. HERMANN.

and was twice president of the Young Men's Blaine Club of Cincinnati. He induced a strong delegation of Cincinnati officials to attend the meeting in Buffalo two years ago, at which the American Society of Municipal Improvements was organized. The society met at Cincinnati last year, when he was honored by being elected first vice president. He is married and has one daughter.

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The uncertainty overhead is sure to improve. All parties are agreed as to that. Millions of money, hoarded by the poor, will now find its way back into industrial channels. An early session of congress will, by proper legislation, add to the nation's revenues sufficient to meet the current expenses of the government. Prices will make a healthy advance and labor find more steady employment. There's a good time coming and we expect to be in it.

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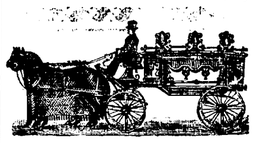

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DOUBLE MURDER.

Mother and Daughter Shot by Assassins.

Mysterious Deed Done at Kansas City—No Motive for the Crime Known.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—Mrs. Foley, a widow, aged sixty-five years, and her unmarried daughter, Fanny, aged forty, were found murdered in their home, near Liberty, Mo., early this morning. No motive for the crime is known.

William Foley, aged twenty-five years, a son of the murdered woman, had visited a neighbor yesterday and returning home after midnight was first to discover the dead bodies. Mother and sister were found in their bed rooms, dressed in their night gowns and bespattered with blood. They had both been shot, the mother through the head and the daughter in the back. The assassin or assassins had fired at Mrs. Foley through one of the front windows. The bullet lodged in the head of the bedstead. Both women evidently became frightened and ran into the bed room together. The door was then forced and the bloody work completed.

The son gave the alarm to neighbors and a party was soon gathered and they sought for traces of the perpetrators. Finding no clew they rode to Kansas City, fifteen miles distant, and reported the murder to the local police. Detectives were immediately sent to Liberty.

DONE BY A MOB!

Young Negro Brute Taken From Officers

And Hung to the Limb of a Tree for a Crime Committed in Mississippi.

COLUMBUS, Miss., Nov. 18.—On Monday a young negro man named Mims Collier attempted an assault upon Miss Tillie Vaughan, a respectable white woman living about twelve miles northeast of this city, in the vicinity of Steenston. Collier had a preliminary trial before Justice Williams, who bound him over to the circuit court, and was held at a store near Steenston in charge of Constables Watson and Meghby. Monday night a mob of over 100 men overpowered these officers and Tuesday morning Mims' body was found dangling from the limb of a near-by tree.

BOOKS DO NOT BALANCE.

Accounts of the Grand Scribe of the Indiana Odd Fellows in Bad Shape.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 18.—Several months ago W. H. Leedy was appointed grand scribe of the state encampment of Odd Fellows, Grand Scribe Foster being ill and unable to attend to his duties and his son and assistant having charge of all the affairs connected with the position. The encampment met yesterday and Grand Patriarch Long submitted his report. He said at the time of Leedy's appointment as scribe the affairs of the office were in bad condition and that an examination had convinced him that the conditions were worse than had been reported. The report of the grand patriarch created a sensation among those who heard it and the matter soon reached the street. A member of the grand lodge, which convenes here today, said that the accounts of Assistant Scribe Charles Foster did not balance, but the amount involved he declines to state. He said that it had been, or would be, made good. It is claimed that it will take an official investigation to determine whether there is a shortage.

MOODY'S MISSION.

Wealthy Eastern Man Leaves $100,000 for His Work.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—Evangelist Dwight L. Moody received notice today that $100,000 had been left him by a wealthy citizen of New London, Conn., for his educational work in Chicago and Northfield, Mass.

The money was bequeathed to a board of trustees by J. N. Harris, a New London bank president, who died three weeks ago. The will stipulates that the money shall be spent under the advice and direction of Mr. Moody in his various educational institutions.

This is one of many similar funds received by Evangelist Moody for the prosecution of his extensive religious and educational work. He keeps no records of the amounts he spends, but the fact remains that he handles and pays out as much as $10,000 a week in the cause of education and charity.

His revival meetings at Cooper Union this week have attracted immense crowds, and it became necessary to hold overflow services in adjoining churches.

Murder and Suicide.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Nov. 18.—The bodies of James Ware and Mrs. Ella Ricketts were found on the Locust street viaduct of the Chicago and Alton road with a bullet hole in the forehead of each. The man had evidently shot the woman and then turned the weapon on himself. Ware occupied part of the house in which the Ricketts resided and the two had been suspected of intimacy.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis and her daughter, Miss Winnie, accompanied by Judge Dennis B. Valliant and R. R. Hutchinson, of this city, arrived here from New York last night. They came to attend the annual reception and ball to be given here Thursday evening. They were met at the Union station by a large number of ex-confederates and friends and escorted to the Planters hotel, where elaborate preparations had been made for their entertainment.

PAYS HIS RESPECTS

To McKinley, Does Chairman Hanna, by a Visit

To Discuss With the President-Elect the Details of the Inauguration Ceremonies.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 18.—Speaking of his trip to Canton to an Associated Press representative today, National Republican Chairman M. A. Hanna said he made the journey simply to pay his respects to the president-elect and to discuss with him the details of the inauguration ceremonies.

"It seems to have become the custom," said Mr. Hanna, "for the national chairman to appoint the committees, marshal and other officials who have supervision of the inauguration details, and my visit to Major McKinley was largely to discuss these matters."

Asked in regard to Major McKinley's visit to Cleveland, Mr. Hanna said:

"I think the president-elect and his wife will come to Cleveland for a time as soon as Mrs. McKinley's health will permit. She has been quite ill, having been threatened with pneumonia, and her recovery is slow, though she is now able to go out in a carriage." Mr. Hanna stated that nothing whatever had been mentioned between the president-elect and himself in regard to a trip south. It is possible that Mr. and Mrs. McKinley will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna at their southern home during a portion of the winter, but so far the matter has not been discussed.

Asked if cabinet matters had been taken up during his visit to Major McKinley, the national chairman said he did not care to discuss that subject.

TWELVE MEN LOST.

The Captain and Some Sailors Rescued.

Fatal Accident Which Befell the British Steamer Memphis in Dunlough Bay.

BRISTOL, Eng., Nov. 18.—The British steamer Memphis, from Montreal on November 4, for Monmouth, is ashore in Dunlough bay. Soon after being stranded, her crew took to the rigging and her perilous position being noticed, the coast guards sent for a rocket apparatus and it was promptly forwarded to the scene. Unhappily, the gale was blowing so strongly that only the captain and part of the crew of the Memphis were saved. It is known that twelve men were lost. Cattle and other portions of the steamers cargo are now washing ashore. Her hull is completely submerged and only her upper masts can be seen above water. The Memphis was owned by the African Steamship company and was built at Belfast, Ireland, in 1890. The steamer struck a rock and was pounded to pieces.

State Librarian.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 18.—The supreme court has appointed Mrs. Jennie Edwards, widow of the late Major John N. Edwards, to the office of state librarian for a term of six years. The office was formerly held by W. J. Zevely, of the democratic state committee, who resigned to accept a place under Secretary of the Interior D. R. Francis.

Officers Elected.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18.—The presidents of the Methodist colleges and universities in the United States, in annual convention at Evanston, have elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Henry Wade Rogers, Northwestern university; vice president, J. T. Goucher, Woman's college, Baltimore; secretary and treasurer, Samuel Plantz, Lawrence university.

Christian Endeavor Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 18.—Local Christian Endeavorers have given an enthusiastic reception to John Willis Baer, of Boston, the general secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavorers, who is here to make arrangements for the great convention which meets here next July. The business men of the city have subscribed liberally to the convention expense and a large attendance, not only from the Pacific coast and the central west, but from New England and the south, is expected.

National Hardware Association.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Nov. 18.—The third annual convention of the National Hardware association began here today. The organization has a membership which comprises over 200 of the largest jobbers hardware firms in the United States. The aggregate trade represented in the association is fully $150,000,000 a year. Nearly 200 members from all parts of the country were present when President Wm. W. Supplee called the assemblage to order. The opening session was devoted to the reading of the president's annual report and the reception of the various committee reports.

There will be a benefit ball for Billy Harris, the pugilist, this evening at Randall hall.

THE LAST DAY.

Final Session of the W. C. T. U. Convention.

Words of Cheer From the Daughter of a Russian Count—Chairmen of Standing Committees.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 18.—The last day's session of the W. C. T. U. national convention opened with the usual prayer meeting in Schuyler Memorial house. After singing and prayer at Music hall, the minutes of the session of yesterday were read and approved. The report of the executive committee, containing the names of the organizers, superintendents of departments, evangelists, editors and business managers of the Union Signal, president of the board of temperance hospital and members of the standing committee recommended for appointment, was read. It was approved without division. The names of the superintendents were as telegraphed yesterday. The others follow:

Evangelists—Mrs. J. K. Barney, Mrs. S. M. I. Henri, Mrs. Annie M. Palmer, Mrs. Mary Sparks Wheeler, Mrs. R. J. Trego, Mrs. Mary J. Weaver, Mrs. E. M. Houghton, Mrs. Jennie F. Willing, Miss Cassie Smith, Rev. Frances E. Townsley and Mrs. Mary Cody.

Editors of the Union Signal—Mrs. Susana M. D. Fry, Miss Clara Chapin and Mrs. Ada M. Mellville.

Business Manager—Mrs. C. F. Grow.

President of the Board of Trustees of Temperance Hospital—Mrs. Margaret Ingleheart.

President of the Board of Temple Trustees—Mrs. Matilda B. Carse.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Transportation — Mrs. Mary G. Hoy.

Sabbath Meetings—Mrs. Rebecca B. Chambers.

Overflow Meeting — Rev. Anna Shaw.

Convention Seating—Miss Carrie Busby.

Telegrams—Mrs. Lucie B. Tynig. Auditor—Mrs. C. B. Bigelow.

Mrs. Matilda B. Carse, president of the Woman's Temperance Publishing association, made a report. She stated that, despite the financial depression, the association had weathered the storm and the treasury showed a net gain for the year of $516. The cash receipts for that time were $126,337, and expenditures $126,151. Mrs. Carse said that when it was considered that the receipts for 1896 were $14,462 less than the preceding year, it was remarkable that the association had been able to hold its own.

Miss Willard read a letter from Titiana Tolstoy, daughter of the Russian count by that name, in which she said: "Your nephew said you and Lady Somerset were perhaps coming to Russia. My father and I were very well pleased to hear the news, and we hope that you will then pay us a visit if your voyage will then take place."

In connection with this, Miss Willard spoke of another letter she had received from the same source, in which the writer said that she and her father were interested heart and soul in the work of the W. C. T. U. After the receipt of some W. C. T. U. documents by the count he and his whole family became total abstainers, Miss Willard reported.

Miss Frances J. Barnes, of New York, memorial secretary of the young women's branch, reported on the work done during the past year, during which there had been an increase in thirty-three states, Maryland leading with the greatest number of new recruits.

Telegrams of greeting were ordered sent to Julia Ward Howe and Governor Upham, of Wisconsin.

Invitations were received from Portland, Me., and Portland, Ore., Milwaukee and Nashville, to hold the next national convention in one of those cities. Action on the question was deferred.

It is probable that the convention will be held in one of the lake cities, possibly Buffalo. The international convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Toronto next year and it is the desire of Miss Willard and other members to hold the national convention previous to that in some place near the Canadian city, so that delegates can go from one to the other.

The reports of a number of organizers closed the forenoon session.

Last night several members of the W. C. T. U. made a slumming tour, singing and praying with the habitues of dives in the tenderloin district.

An Election Case.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Nov. 18.—County Attorney C. O. Whittemore has handed down an opinion on the legal status of the recent election. It declares the ballot was not a secret one as defined by the provisions of the constitution which are mandatory and prohibitory; therefore the election itself is "absolutely invalid and is in fact no election." The board of canvassers advised however, that it must perform its duty which is merely ministerial and that the county clerk must issue the certificates of election required by law unless by intervention of a court of competent jurisdiction.

Big Coal Shipments.

NEW YORK, Nov. 18.—J. Pierpont Morgan and associates, for the Erie railway, have arranged for extensive shipments of coal to Chicago and other western points from Marion, Ohio, at which point the Erie connects with the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railway and the Columbus, Sandusky and Hocking railway, both coal roads, that tap all the coal mines of Southern Ohio.

COME IN FLOCKS.

County Jail Filling Up With Freight Train Tramps.

Mayor Schroer Adopts New Tactics in Handling Their Cases—Fourteen Arrests Today.

Not long ago the Pennsylvania railroad company increased its police force with the object in view of putting a stop to the nuisance of tramps stealing rides on passenger and freight trains.

The move had a remarkable effect. Hardly a morning has passed of late that a goodly number of the ragged and moneyless specimens of humanity have not been up before the mayor on the charge of "train jumping," and in nearly all instances the prisoners have been sent to jail.

Last night fourteen tramps were arrested by the railroad detectives, Fuchshuber and Walling, and the prisoners were brought up as usual in police court. It began to dawn upon Mayor Schroer that the approach of winter is encouraging a great deal of free travel on railroad freight trains and that if every subject brought before him is to be found guilty, there would not be enough room in the county jail to accommodate one-half of them in the near future.

He made known his intention of adopting a new method in the handling of such cases by dismissing all of the fourteen prisoners forthwith, administering a severe reprimand in each case and ordering the released men to get out of town in two hours' time.

Lieutenant Lapp said to a SENTINEL reporter: "Free jails like ours would not hold the tramps that steal rides on railroad trains running into and out of the city."

The railroad companies, however, expect to see every guilty man convicted. There is a flagrant violation of the law relating to stealing of rides on trains and they feel that they have a right to have the laws obeyed as long as they make the arrests themselves. Their force of police officers will keep right on arresting every tramp caught in the act of jumping on or off of trains.

FATAL INITIATION.

Edward Curry Dies From Blood Poisoning.

Was Seated in An Electric Chair and Burned While Being Given the First Degree in the Elks.

DES MOINES, Nov. 18.—Edward W. Curry, chairman of the democratic state committee, died at the Savery house today of blood poisoning, the result of an initiation into the Elks' lodge here a few weeks ago. He was seated in an electric chair and horribly burned before those operating it realized what they were doing. It was kept quiet until this morning.

WHILE PRAYING.

Mrs. Stevens is Stricken With Heart Disease.

Sad Interruption of the Meeting of the Illinois Daughters of Rebekah.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Nov. 18.—The opening session of the Daughters of Rebekah and the grand lodge of Illinois Odd Fellows today was sadly interrupted by the sudden death of Mrs. Mary B. Stevens, of Yale, Ill., chaplain of the grand lodge. She had just commenced her prayer and said "Our Father," when she dropped to the floor and expired of heart disease. Her husband, D. G. Stevens, a prominent merchant, was attending the Odd Fellows' grand lodge session across the hall when notified of his wife's death. Appropriate resolutions were adopted and committees were appointed to escort the body to Yale, after which the session adjourned.

Army of the Tennessee.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 18.—The twenty-eighth annual reunion of the Army of the Tennessee convened today in the parlors of the Southern hotel. Gen. Granville M. Dodge, of Iowa, the president, called the meeting to order.

GALLAGHER GUILTY.

Imprisonment for Two Years in State's Prison North.

MUNCIE, Nov. 18.—In the Gallagher murder trial, the jury brought in a verdict this morning at 5 o'clock fixing the defendant's punishment at two years in the state's prison. The defendant stated that he did not think he should have been found guilty. The prosecution was as much disgusted with the verdict as was the defense at the former trial, when Gallagher was sentenced to prison for twenty-one years and asked for and was granted a new trial.

It is believed that Gallagher would have been acquitted at this trial had not his father testified to the effect that the boy was an incorrigible youth. The father refused to come to see the boy during the first trial, and the defense is sorry that they prevailed on him to come this one.

Max Blitz is at Cleveland.

STRUCK A WOMAN.

Thomas Baker Pays a Fine and is Re-Arrested.

County Commissioners Allow Ex-Sheriff Clausmeier's Salary—Court Notes.

Last night Thomas Baker, the Columbia street saloonkeeper, got into a row with his wife's sister, Allie Burr, and struck her. The fight waged warm when an officer arrived and brought the fracas to an end for the time being without making any arrests. Today the woman filed an affidavit in Justice France's court against Baker, charging him with assault and battery. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $1 and costs, amounting to $12. Then she filed another affidavit charging him with provoke. This case will come up next Monday morning.

TRIED TO SUICIDE.

Albert Rathert, who is in jail awaiting trial on the charge of forgery, attempted suicide last night by taking laudanum. The dose was not sufficient to cause fatal results, and the young man is all right again today. Rathert is implicated with John Bruns in the forgery case and it is said they forged the name of Mrs. Hochstetter.

COURT NEWS.

The county commissioners today allowed a bill for $1,678, as a part of the last quarterly payment due ex-Sheriff Clausmeier on his $6,000 for the past year.

Marriage licenses have been granted as follows: Alfred D. Hunter and Sophia M. Liebman, Jacob Raber and Nettie Meyer.

STATE DEBT REDUCED.

Finance Board Authorizes Another Payment Amounting to $200,000.

The state finance board met at Indianapolis and authorized the treasurer to pay off $1,200,000 of state bonds upon which the state holds an option. In the last two years $1,200,000 of the state debt has been liquidated and there is now left in the neighborhood of $6,000,000 of funded debt, with no floating debt. In the auditor's office it is estimated that if the tax laws continue to be enforced as they are at present the state debt can, with the same low tax levy that now exists, be wiped out within the next eight years. The reduction of the debt during the last two years has caused a heavy reduction in the interest charges, for nearly all the high-priced outstanding bonds have been taken up and those now out bear a low rate of interest.

LOCAL LINES.

Charles Goodwin, a former Fort Wayne boy, now proprietor of a Chicago advertising agency, is in the city today.

Fred Kease, of Wilt street, ran into Christian Martin's buggy on Broadway last night, and was knocked down, sustaining a slight cut above his right eye.

Rev. C. C. Cissell has taken from a tree in the yard of the Berry street parsonage a branch which contains a cluster of six second growth apples which each measure about two inches long by four inches in circumference.

Today Thomas Connett reported to the police that someone had driven away with his horse, which had been left by him in front of the White bank about 11 o'clock. Boys are probably responsible for the unusual liberties now being taken with other people's horses.

Yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock S. E. Malcolm, the real estate dealer, tied his horse and buggy in front of the White bank while he attended to some business matters. Between 4 and 5 o'clock he went back to take the horse home and as he turned the corner at Calhoun he saw someone driving away with it. Mr. Malcolm immediately notified the police and about 11 o'clock last night the horse was found on East Columbia street in a dangerous condition as a result of fast driving. The animal was put up at Martin's livery stable and was restored to the owner this morning.

The Muncie News has the following to say of the last honors paid to the late Charles Boyce, who formerly resided in this city: "The remains of Charles W. Boyce were laid to rest in Beech Grove cemetery Sunday afternoon under the auspices of the members of the Knights of Pythias. That he was a man with innumerable friends during his life, was demonstrated by the large attendance. The funeral cortege, which left the residence at 2 o'clock, was headed by the Muncie city band and 200 Knights of Pythias marched in the rear. There was an enormous assemblage of people at the cemetery and several thousand people witnessed the cortege as it moved from the residence to the cemetery."

The Tippecanoe club was entertained at the home of Dr. L. A. Worch and wife on Washington boulevard last evening, Captain Fenner assisting in making the reception a success. Headed by the First Regiment A. O. U. W. band, the club marched to the home of Captain Fenner, where they were welcomed by the captain and his wife. Refreshments were served and addresses were made by Robert Drebelbiss, Peter Poisen, Will Kaiser and Paul Hoppe. They proceeded thence to the residence of Dr. Worch, who is president of the club. After pleasant social conversation, refreshments and music on the piano and by the band, C. E. Everett, chairman of the county central committee, was called for, and made a fine address. Other speakers were: Mr. A. J. Yun, J. K. McCracken, Will Wilson, Frank Gruber, J. Farnell, Capt. Ford Bolts, of Bluffton; Capt. Fenner and President Worch.

WALKING FOR PAY.

Mrs. H. Estby and Daughter on a Long Journey.

Have Agreed to Go on Foot From Spokane to New York—Now in the City.

At Bradley's Grand Central hotel today are two strangers who have a history. They are Mrs. H. Estby and her daughter who are now engaged in performing the great feat of walking from Spokane, Washington, to New York city, a distance of 4,500 miles.

This long journey was the conception of a wealthy woman of Spokane, who is an ardent advocate of woman's suffrage, and it is intended to test the power of woman's endurance. The sum of $10,000 is placed by this lady as a reward if the journey is completed by next December 15th, and as only 500 miles remain to be traveled Mrs. Estby and her daughter already have the prize assured them.

These travelers left on their novel trip May 5, but the conditions of their contract being that they must earn their own clothes and lodging en route, they have spent probably two months of the time in selling their photographs and working at various places to get money.

The pedestrians are clothed in dresses which somewhat resemble bicycle costumes. Their route is mostly along the railroads. They both appear to have stood the trials of the trip exceedingly well.

ENDS TONIGHT.

Close of the Sons of Columbus Convention.

Routine Business Occupies the Day—Exemplification of the Ritual Tonight.

The business session of the sixth annual national convention of the Sons of Columbus came to an end this afternoon. The business transacted was of a routine nature and of interest to nobody outside of the order. The officers are elected every two years and this does not come up at this meeting.

Tonight, at the hall, in the Lau block, an exemplification of the new ritual will be given in the presence of delegates and local members.

Last evening an enjoyable program of exercises was carried out at the hall, those present being visiting delegates, with their ladies, and the local members with their auxiliary, the Daughters of Isabella. The meeting was presided over by F. W. Irwin, who introduced Vice Grand Admiral E. J. McSwear. The latter delivered the address of welcome and was followed by Admiral F. J. Quinn, of Peoria, Ill., who responded in an appreciative vein, thanking the Fort Wayne colony and Daughters of Isabella for the pleasant reception accorded the visitors, and following his remarks up with a review of the aims of the organization. The patriotic words of the speaker were loudly applauded by the auditors.

The chairman then introduced Past Admiral P. S. O'Rourke, who said that the founding of the Sons of Columbus was for the purpose of giving Catholic young men an opportunity they had never enjoyed before in America, that of controlling their own affairs without interference from other sources. He said that the purpose of the order of the Sons of Columbus, aside from motives of charity, is the wiping out of bigotry, not only of that kind with which some are disposed to view the Catholic and his religion, but also of that nature that exists even between Catholics themselves, and among people of other religions. If the order succeeded in accomplishing this much, then will its supporters not have labored in vain.

After the speeches an excellent literary and musical program was rendered, every number of which was highly enjoyed. These exercises concluded there was an informal reception in the parlors, followed by a dance program of eighteen numbers and a luncheon in the dining hall of the Elk's lodge room.

One of the pleasing features of program was the reading by Mrs. Ormsby. Her description of the prize boat race was received with enthusiasm and she was encored again and again.

Today Calvary U. B. church is holding an election to elect delegates to represent Auglaize conference at the general conference which meets at Toledo, Iowa, next May. The entire membership of the church is voting in this and other lands. In this conference three ministers are chosen from the following: M. Miller, E. Counsellor, I. Imler, T. Coats, J. W. Lower, W. E. Bay, W. Z. Roberts, B. R. Wilgus, A. W. Bullinger, and one layman from the following: S. Miller, M. McGinnis and A. W. Aplis. The election at Calvary church is from 3 to 9 o'clock this evening. The general conference is the highest legislative body of the church and meets once every four years, electing bishops and making laws for church government.

BROKE IN A WINDOW.

Whitey Lauer Charged With Malicious Trespass.

Family Row on Columbia Street—Rabbit and Pigeon Thieves—News in Police Circles.

Ed Lauer, known by the nickname of "Whitey," was arrested by Detective Stahl last night, at the instance of Mendel Frank, the Hanna street saloonkeeper, who charged him with smashing in the front of his place of business. Lauer was ejected from the saloon last night and took this as a means of getting even. The case was continued until tomorrow morning, at 9 o'clock, at the request of the prisoner.

OTHER CASES.

Edward Dunn, arrested by Officer Paul for drunkenness, was fined $1 and costs, amounting to $10.50.

John Hartnett, arrested by Officer Hobbs for drunkenness, was released upon a promise to quit drinking.

FAMILY ROW.

Joseph Baker's saloon, at 34 East Columbia street, was the scene of a lively row last night, in which Baker and his sister were the principals. Officer Rohrer was called in and put an end to the fight, without making any arrests.

AMATEUR THIEVERY.

F. O. Gunwell, living on the west side, complained to Officer Pagler that boys had stolen several white rabbits from his premises. The officer found the juveniles who did the stealing and compelled them to return the rabbits and plead for mercy. The children have respectable parents.

Mrs. Rahe, living at 22 Tabor street, says twelve pigeons were stolen from her premises. There is no clue to the thieves.

GRADES CONFERRED.

Scottish Rite Convocation Comes to an End.

Closing Ceremonies Followed by a Banquet at Noon Today—Successful Meeting.

The candidates who received degrees in the Lodge of Perfection yesterday were William Oates, of Montpelier; Lincoln Guyan, of Wabash; Reynolds Sterling, Millard R. Cowan, Henry Allbrought, George E. Eckett, Frank W. Edmonds, Fred Boehling, Richard Allen, Richard E. Doty, Myron Dowling and Charles Stahl, of this city.

After the day's program was finished a banquet was held in the hall of the Masonic Temple. Thrice Potent Grand Master William Geake was master of ceremonies. Judge Allen Zollars delivered the address of welcome. Lincoln Guyan, of Wabash, a member of the class receiving the grades, delivered the valedictory. Winfield S. Bash then sang with splendid effect the solo, "Celeste," and Lucius G. Knight spoke with eloquence on "Why I Am a Mason," and Dr. Albert G. Bulson discussed "Impressions."

The following guests were present from out of town:

N. R. Ruckle, A. Daller, W. W. Robinson, W. H. Donaldson, Indianapolis; F. F. Boltz, L. C. Davenport, W. D. Mason, S. F. Thumakert, James S. Bennett, E. E. Moseman, Bluffton; J. H. Sharp, W. H. Magley, E. L. McLallen, A. R. Clugston, Columbia City; C. B. Mulvey, Oscar Evans, Montpelier; S. G. Clingston, Poneto; Fred W. Tucker, Warsaw; J. R. Slack, Huntington; D. S. Nickey, O. Gandy, Churubusco; H. K. Scott, Angola; J. G. B. Atwood, Albion; J. D. Leighty, St. Joe; B. F. Wade, Toledo; D. B. Peabody, Fostoria; John L. Davis, D. E. Caruth, Auburn; S. K. Randall, Avilla.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. F. T. Simpson has returned from Huntington where he conducted a quarterly meeting of the M. E. church.

The Wit and Wisdom club was this afternoon entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shepard, of Harrison street. This is the first of a series of four receptions to be held this winter.

The Allen County Medical society had a meeting set for last evening but owing to the Scottish Rite convocation, which most of the physicians desired to attend, the meeting was adjourned without having accomplished any business.

David Alvord, an old man from St. Louis, who claimed to have been robbed of all the money he had in the world, applied for aid at Trustee Schmetzer's office today. He wanted to reach Norwalk, Ohio, where he had relatives. A ticket to Lima, Ohio, was purchased for him.

Professor Hicks's prognostications for November have been correct so far, and it remains to be seen if the weather for the remainder of the month will be as he foretold it. Cold will follow. From about the 21st to 23rd look out for reactionary storms, followed later by changes that naturally follow at this season. According to his predictions, Thanksgiving will be anything but a pleasant day.

One of the most pleasant surprises of the season was the one given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dibold in honor of their nephew, Edward Shrader, of Logan, Ohio, who always declared no one could surprise him. On Monday evening a large crowd gathered at an appointed place and at 6:30 all marched to the house and found Master Ed reading. At 11:30 a delicious luncheon was served and at 12 the happy guests departed after spending the evening in dancing and other amusements, leaving many tokens of friendship. Music was furnished by Messrs. Judy, Delagrange and Bolby.

DIED OF CANCER.

Elizabeth Dingman, Who Lived Here Many Years.

Passes Away at Kalamazoo, Mich.—Mr. and Mrs. Lavanway Lose a Child—The Deaths.

A telegram received this morning announces the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Dingman, at Kalamazoo, Mich., of cancer of the breast. Deceased was for many years a resident of Allen county, having lived here during the period between 1850 and 1880. Surviving her in this city are the following children: Scott W. Dingman, Mrs. J. B. Pierson and Mrs. A. Brunson. Mrs. Pierson was at her bedside when death came. The late Harry Shafer, of Springfield township, was father of the deceased. The remains will arrive here over the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad at 12 o'clock tomorrow and the funeral will be from the train. Interment at Lindenwood.

OTHER DEATHS.

Herbert, the eighteen days old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lavanway, of 46 East Columbia street, died of brain fever yesterday and the funeral will be held from the Cathedral at 10 a.m. tomorrow.

The infant child of Charles Hatter, of 103 East Washington street, died of exhaustion yesterday and was buried today.

Mrs. John Lawson, of Van Wert, Ohio, died Monday at 7 p.m. Remains were brought to Fort Wayne on the 11:24 a.m. train today and taken direct by the chapel at the cemetery where the casket was opened to friends.

IDA KELLOGG-LLOYD

Concert to be Given at the Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

Coming Johnson-Smiley Combination at Wayne Street Church.

A very interesting program has been arranged for Mrs. Ida Kellogg-Lloyd's concert at the Y. M. C. A. this evening. In addition to Mrs. Lloyd's beautiful voice, her little son, Robert, only five years old, will sing. The cause of this concert is a worthy one and there should be a large attendance.

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An entertainment will be given on Tuesday, November 24, at the Wayne street M. E. church by the Johnson-Smily combination, who are artists of the world. Mr. Smily possesses the talent of impersonation which enables him to represent different characters with marvelous accuracy.

"Miss Pauline Johnson" was born and reared among the "Six Nations" in Canada, and is a daughter of a principal chief and also belonging to one of the families founded under the leadership of Hiawatha.

The entertainment will afford our citizens the opportunity of hearing this literary prodigy of the "wigwam," whose mother is a near relative of Howells, our American writer.

The county commissioners recently asked the city to give up a ten foot strip of the west side of Court street, so that they could have a twenty foot walk built around the new building. The board of works feels agreeable to the proposition but has suggested to the commissioners that the consent of the property owners on the opposite side of the street be first obtained. It is thought that the change would be acceptable to every business man on the street.

Jacob Kreckenburger was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Stout last night on the charge of stealing grain from the barn of Charles Stock. The affidavit is filed by Charles Strack, who is a brother-in-law of Stock. The theft took place on the latter's farm on the Bluffton road. The case was set for hearing before Justice Bullerman at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Last night the police were summoned to Mike Wickliffe's Arlington hotel, where a racket, in which revolvers figured, had alarmed the inmates of the house. The disturbance was soon over, and two men who had started it made their escape. There is a good deal of mystery in the case.

Sheriff McFarlan, of Rush county, brought Charles Harrigan to the city last night. Another check for $6, signed with the forged name of F. A. Randall, has turned up, which Harrigan is accused of passing at Tom Baker's place, on Columbia street.

Miss Agnes Tiernan entertained the Y. C. G. pedro club last evening.

EXPERIENCE—

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We handle only the products of the most reputable factories and sell them at such prices that all can afford to pay. Our new fall stock illustrates the rapid developments of art and skill in everything pertaining to the furniture trade, and a comparison will satisfy anybody that in the three essentials of good workmanship, artistic designs and reasonable prices, we maintain our reputation.

Another Carload of the Famous McCord and Bradfield Bedroom Suits just received.

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$40.00 Suits for $30.00.
$35.00 Suits for $25.00.
$30.00 Suits for $20.00.
$25.00 Suits for $18.00.
Good Suits for $17.00.

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$45.00 Overcoat, $30.00.
$35.00 Overcoat, $20.00.
Fine Overcoats for $17.00 and $15.00.
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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 1896.

McKinley will be the first soldier in the white house who entered the army as a private.

More than a million people are said to be on the verge of starvation in India. Now, that is hard times.

Concerning Coxey's new platform, the Bay City Tribune says: "It seems to be broad enough to hold all the cranks in the world."

From all parts of the country come reports of a revival in the formation of labor unions, and it is predicted that the coming winter will see a large increase.

Economic writers again call attention to the falling off of marriages. With so many girls extant worth their weight in gold, is not this too much of the single standard?

Public sympathy goes out to the husband of the young woman who married a man she didn't love because McKinley was elected. The trouble about these idiotic election bets is that the innocent must suffer with the guilty.

The very latest in court procedure comes from Boston, where a few days ago a man was summoned to a district court session to answer to the charge of obstructing a sidewalk in front of his place of business. He was such a busy man that he called up the judge by telephone, pleaded guilty and was fined $10 and costs.

The promise of the sultan of Turkey to execute "sweeping reforms" in his dominion inspires little confidence in the world at large. The prevailing belief is that to secure such reforms the essential thing is to have a different sweeper. The sultan's present method seems to be to sweep into eternity those of his subjects who ask for reform.

The terms of the congressmen recently elected do not begin till next March. The first regular session of the new congress will not convene till December, 1897. This is called the long session and usually lasts from five to six months. The second or short session begins in December, 1898, and lasts less than three months, ending March 4, 1899.

The news that the ladies of Spain are giving their jewels and their gold and silver plate to the subjugation of Cuba should excite neither sympathy for Spanish patriotism nor confidence in Spanish success. The women of Cuba are giving their lives, as well as those of their husbands and sons, and it is a long day since jewels have outweighed the plenteous drops of martyrs' blood.

The immense activities of the churches are indicated by the annual appropriation by the Methodist Episcopal church for missionary expenses. The net sum is $981,000. This expenditure by one denomination alone shows the evangelizing spirit is still alive. The great total includes many small as well as large donations. The countless deprivations of personal indulgence that make possible such benefactions are testimonials to the unselfishness that is more general than appears on the surface of events.

William Jennings Bryan, the defeated democratic candidate for president, is actively engaged in the preparation of a work to be published about January 1. This work will embody a thorough discussion of bimetallism and its importance as an issue of the campaign of 1900. Mr. Bryan has authorized his publishers to state that one-half of the royalties received from the sale of the book will be used in advancing the cause of bimetallism during the next four years. The work will also contain Mr. Bryan's views regarding the results of the recent campaign, his biography, written by his wife, together with special contributions from eminent political leaders. Another special feature of the work will be an interesting account of Mr. Bryan's trip and the enthusiastic reception accorded him.

The State Federation of Labor, at its recent meeting at Muncie, instructed its legislative committee again to bring before the legislature the bill providing for the appointment of a factory inspector, and regulating the employment of women and children. The bill was introduced in the last session of the general assembly by John McGregor, of Marion county, and, after receiving a favorable report of the committee on labor, was passed by the house, and would have been adopted by the senate but for the expiration of the session. Practically every labor organization in the state has endorsed the measure, and an endeavor is to be made to have the coming session take early action on it. The bill is compiled from the New York law, which has been the model for most of the factory inspection laws passed in the various states. It is entitled "an act to regulate the employment of women and children in manufacturing establishments, and to provide for the appointment of inspectors to enforce the same."

AT THE ALTAR.

Nuptials of Helen Moffat and Benjamin Ninde Celebrated.

Bridal Supper at the Home of the Bride's Parents—Wedding Trip to Florida.

Propitious weather, congratulatory friends, a proud groom and a blushing, happy bride are essential parts of a wedding festivity and not one of these were lacking in the nuptials celebrated at 8 o'clock last evening in which the interested persons were Miss Helen Moffat and Mr. Benjamin F. Ninde. The ceremony was performed at the First Presbyterian church by Dr. D. W. Moffat, father of the bride.

The church was tastefully decorated with flowers and vines of various varieties, chrysanthemums predominating.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Prof. Charles Meyer. The ushers, Dr. Deming and Messrs. Edward Woodworth, Lee Ninde and Brook Sale, Hugh Keegan and W. McKee Moffat preceded the bridesmaids, Misses Mary Manger and Katharine Hoffman, in white organdie with yellow flowers and ribbons; Helen Tracy Guild and Nora Hamilton, in white organdie with blue flowers and ribbons; Gertrude Laubach and Charlotte Lowry in white organdie, with pink flowers and ribbons, each carrying bunches of maiden fern. The attendants stood in the aisle. The maid of honor, Miss Mary Moffat, sister of the bride, in sea foam green silk, with white mousseline de soie and taffeta ribbons, carrying pink roses, followed by the lovely bride upon the arm of her father, passed between them to the altar. Her gown was of ivory white satin en traine, with white chiffon and pearl trimmings. She wore a veil and carried lillies of the valley. At the altar the bride was met by the groom, Mr. Benjamin F. Ninde and the ring ceremony was performed. Mr. Samuel Moffat was master of ceremonies.

A wedding supper was served at 9 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, only the bridal party and relatives being present.

The bride and groom left for St. Augustine, Fla. The bride's going away gown was a tailor-made Scottish plaid. Mr. and Mrs. Ninde will be at home to their friends on Thursdays after January 7, 1897, at their new home, 81 Griffith street.

The out of town guests were Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, Miss Julia Graham and Mr. W. McKee Moffett, of Madison, Ind.; Dr. and Mrs. Roler, of Chicago; Dr. and Mrs. Sawyer, of Indianapolis.

Last Tuesday morning, at St. Joseph church, in Hesse Cassel, occurred the marriage of Mr. George Sorg and Miss Mary Sack, both prominent young people of this place. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Mark. The bride was handsomely dressed in a rich gown of lansdown and white chiffon. She was attended by her sister, Lucy, who wore a gown of French serge and valencia lace. The groom wore a black suit of broadcloth, his attendant being his brother, Henry, who was dressed in a suit of black diagonal. At 12 o'clock the guests satdown to a table laden with the fruits of the farm and city. The bride and groom received a large number of very useful and beautiful presents, among them were a large antique oak bedstead, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sack, father and mother of the bride; a large clock, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Frieburger, of Fort Wayne; set of silver engraved teaspoons, Misses Hattie Leah and Loretta Boger, of Hall's Corners, Ind.; clock, Mr. and Mrs. George Sorg; set of oak chairs, Mr. Henry Sack, jr; water set, Mr. and Mrs. Steinacker; water set, Miss Lulu Ofenloch; table cloth, Fred Bentzinger; set cups and saucers, Miss Wilhalmena Sorg; china meat dish, Miss Barbara Sorg; molasses pitcher, Master Joe Sorg; set of china platters, Miss Tracy Sorg; bed spread, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Haffner; glove box, Mr. Louis Frieburger; fancy towels, Miss Mary McLaughlin; chair tidy, Miss Regina Sorg; three dollars, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Minnick.

The Kokomo Dispatch says: "Miss Leola Pearl O'Neal, who came from Fort Wayne Friday for a short visit at her home, returned Sunday afternoon. Fifteen of her young lady and gentlemen friends were at the depot to see her off. Miss Maud Ellis and a host of friends met her at Peru, where she was royally entertained until train time.

J. H. Hellings, formerly the manager of the Aldine cafe, has accepted a position as day clerk at the Joy hotel, Findlay, Ohio, and his family will move there to reside. Mr. Hellings, in former years, made his home in that city.

TWO FAMOUS AUTHORS.

Strong Friendship Enriched the Lives of Both.

Her friendship with George Eliot was one that greatly enlisted Mrs. Stowe's sympathies and enriched her life, says Mrs. James T. Fields in the San Francisco Chronicle. Her interest in any woman who was supporting herself, and especially in any one who found a daily taskmaster in the pen, and above all, when, as in this case, the woman was one possessed of great moral aspiration, half-paralyzed in its action by finding itself in an anomalous and (to the world in general) utterly incomprehensible position, such a woman was like a magnet to Mrs. Stowe. She inherited from her father a faith in the divine power of sympathy which only waxed greater with years and experience. Wherever she found a fellow-mortal suffering trouble or dishonor, in spite of hindrance her feet were turned that way. The genius of George Eliot and the contrasting elements of her life and character drew Mrs. Stowe to her side in sisterly solicitude. Her attitude, her sweetness, her sincerity could not fail to win the heart of George Eliot. They became loving friends. It was the same inborn sense of fraternity which led her, when a child, on hearing of the death of Lord Byron, to go out into the fields and fling herself weeping on the mounded hay, where she might pray alone for his forgiveness and salvation. It is wonderful to record the influence of Byron upon that generation. It is on record that when Tennyson, a boy of 15, heard them say "Byron is dead," he thought the whole world at an end. "I thought," he said one day, "everything was over and finished for every one; that nothing else mattered. I remember that I went out alone and carved 'Byron is dead' into the sandstone."

SWINDLING SHOPKEEPERS.

New and Ingenious Device Practiced by Rendez-Mol of the Capital.

A fashionably dressed Parisian the other day entered a tobacconist's shop in the Rue St. Honore, in which several persons were being served. He selected a cigar, which he lighted, and stood for a few moments as if waiting for something. He then turned to the shop girl and asked for his change out of the 5-shilling piece he had given. The girl denied that she had received any, at which he appeared very indignant and said that if she looked in the till she would doubtless find it, adding that it had a certain mark on it. The girl, to satisfy him, looked and found a 5-shilling piece marked as described, and, apologizing for her mistake, was about to give him the change, when two gendarmes, who happened to have observed his maneuvers from the outside, entered and took him into custody. He was taken to the commissary of police, where he was recognized as a skillful practitioner of the description of thief called rendez-mol. His plan was to send someone into the shop, some little time before him to purchase a trifling article with a marked 5-shilling piece, and then to enter himself and act as described, by which process he managed to get from 40 to 50 shillings per day.

How to Stiffen Meringues.

In making meringues add a pinch of salt to the whites of the eggs. They will stiffen quickly.

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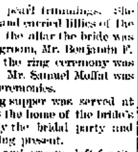

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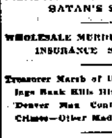
Treasurer Marsh of the Cape Ann Savings Bank Kills Himself in Despair—Denver Man Confesses to Heinous Crimes—Other Bad Deeds.



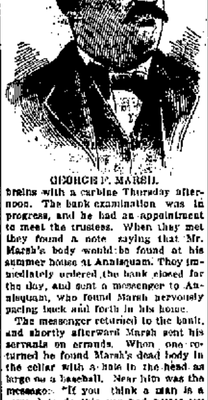
THE attention of the police has been called to a couple of young men who have worked Toledo in the interest of what appears to be a cold blooded crime. They were well supplied with money, and were evidently desirous of securing information relative to a woman who could easily be induced to leave the city. They gave it out at first that they were going to start a swell boarding house. But their real mission developed when they had shipped Myrtle Dean, Millie Capsel, Eva Gray and Mary Williams to Chicago, buying tickets for them at Muskegon, Mich. They induced Nellie Parmeter and Rose Elliott to go to the same place in Chicago. Little suspicion was attached to their visit and operations until a traveling man recognized one of them as a man who was run out of Omaha. He is recognized as one of the leaders of a gang of insurance company defrauders who has operated in the west for several years. Their plan is a terrible one. In Chicago, their headquarters, they take out heavy insurance policies on the lives of the women members of the gang. The woman's life being once insured, she goes away from home. She sends no word back to the man posing as her husband, and in time detectives are employed to search for her. The result is that a body is found that tallies very closely with that of the body of the missing woman when she disappeared. It is believed the women sent to Chicago were to be employed as substitute bodies after the old scheme worked by this man in the west, and which has come to light on several occasions in Chicago within the last three years.

Two Dead and One More Will Die.

George Gore and Frank Martin, miners, and Deputy Sheriff Tatum, assisted by J. Sullivan, a jewelry drummer from Bessemer, engaged in deadly conflict at Belle Ellen, near Blocton, Alabama, the other day. The officer made an attempt to arrest Gore, for whom he had a warrant. Gore resisted and fired two loads of heavy bird shot at the officer. Tatum's pistol twice snapped, but he finally got it into play, and just as Gore fired the second shot his pistol killed Frank Martin, who had come to Gore's assistance. By this time Sullivan had come to the aid of the officer and shot Gore dead with a pistol. Several others were slightly wounded. A mob gathered and made demonstrations against Sullivan and Tatum, but the latter finally won the field. Gore ran a "blind tiger" and had boasted that he would kill the officer who attempted his arrest.

Bank Cashier Suicides.

Treasurer George F. Marsh, life and soul of the Cape Ann Savings bank, Gloucester, Mass., whose deposits are more than $2,025,000, and trustee of funds amounting to $500,000 more, including those of the Gilbert hospital and Gilbert Old People's home, committed suicide by blowing out his



GEORGE F. MARSH.

brains with a carbine Thursday afternoon. The bank examination was in progress, and he had an appointment to meet the trustees. When they met they found a note saying that Mr. Marsh's body would be found at his summer house at Annisquam. They immediately ordered the bank closed for the day, and sent a messenger to Annisquam, who found Marsh nervously pacing back and forth in his home.

The messenger returned to the bank, and shortly afterward Marsh sent his servants on errands. When one returned he found Marsh's dead body in the cellar with a hole in the head as large as a baseball. Near him was the message: "If you think a man is a coward to do this you had better try it."

Beginning early Thursday afternoon, half a dozen men arrived from Boston and were conveyed at once to the bank. These men have been with the bank trustees, who declare that the bank is all right, and that they will issue a statement.

One-fifth of the valuation of Gloucester was on deposit with the bank. Mr. Marsh was director of the estate of George H. Rogers, in whose counting room he was brought up. He was of literary and aesthetic tastes, an antiquarian and founder of the Gloucester Historical society. His residences at Gloucester and at Annisquam were luxuriously fitted up.

It is learned that the Savings Bank examiners a week ago advised the trustees to ask for Marsh's resignation as treasurer, and that the meeting Thursday was for the purpose of accepting it. Marsh is said to have been heavily interested in the stock market, and to have lost most of his fortune. The Savings Bank commissioners Thursday night announced that not a dollar of the bank funds had been touched.

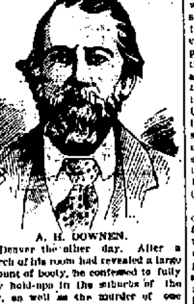
Wednesday night trustees of various trust funds met, and Marsh, their treasurer, was unable to produce those funds. The shortage in these funds is now estimated at $150,000, which, besides his private fortune of $100,000, has been sunk in stock speculations. He was hit especially hard by August money stringency.

Quarrel Followed by Murder.

Mrs. Bessie L. Axe of Omaha was found dead at an early hour the other morning in the street of Council Bluffs, Iowa. She had been shot in the head four or five times. Any one of the wounds would have probably proved fatal instantly. A careful search was made where the body was found, but no clue could be discovered. There were no traces of a struggle. Mrs. Axe was a dressmaker, about 50 years of age. It is believed she was murdered to prevent her from telling something damaging to the murderer. One man says he heard the man and woman quarreling about 9 o'clock the night previous, and heard the man call the woman a liar. The motorman says he saw a man and a woman struggling in the vicinity about 11 o'clock, and heard at least two pistol shots on his return trip soon after midnight.

Confesses Heinous Crimes.

Albert Hance Downen, 45 years of age, was arrested for highway robbery



A. H. DOWNEN.

in Denver the other day. After a search of his room had revealed a large amount of booty, he confessed to fully fifty hold-ups in the suburbs of the city, as well as the murder of one man, Joel Ashworth, and of a man and woman in California. He says he served seventeen years in the California penitentiary for stage robbery and grand larceny, but was never arrested for the murders. The Ashworth murder was committed in June last, and has ever since baffled the police department. Downen says he was trying to hold the man up. He says he will plead guilty of murder, and wants to be hanged rather than serve more time in the penitentiary.

Captured in Oregon.

Word has been received at Hamilton, Ohio, that Lewis Vanhise, wanted at Westchester, Ohio, for murder, is under arrest at Salem, Ore. Lewis Vanhise was indicted by the Butler county, Ohio, grand jury in October, 1891, for the killing of old man Cutler, aged 76 years, at Hart's saloon, in Westchester, September, 1891. The killing was a cold blooded and brutal affair. Vanhise was raising a disturbance in the saloon, and old man Cutler stepped up to him and asked him to be more quiet. Vanhise pulled his revolver and struck Cutler a fearful blow on the temple, fracturing his skull. The affair happened at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and Cutler died the next morning. Vanhise fled the country and up to about two months ago could not be located. Sheriff Bruck and Prosecuting Attorney Smith took up the case, and to them belongs the credit of the capture. Vanhise is also wanted for skipping a $500 bond on a case of horse stealing in June, 1887.

Dark Hints at a Father.

As Mr. Ernest Graff was hunting in a strip of woods on the outskirts of Jasper, Fla., the other day, his dog began scratching the ground near a fallen tree. Mr. Graff made an examination and found a human foot protruding from the ground. The body was buried in a shallow grave and so decomposed as to be unrecognizable. Nearly covered by brush and dirt were found a girl's hat, some underwear, and shoes and stockings. The articles were recognized as having been worn by Lily Gauntling, the 16-year-old daughter of Claiborne Gauntling, a well-to-do citizen of Jasper. The searchers also found a buggy robe, which belonged to Claiborne Gauntling. Six weeks ago the girl was missed and her father said she had gone to Georgia. Gauntling has been arrested, but asserts his innocense. It is believed that Gauntling killed the girl to prevent her accusing him. The feeling is bitter against him and there are threats of lynching.

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A TOUCH OF NATURE.

WHEN ONE REFLECTS ON HELEN KELLER'S CASE.

Deaf, Dumb and Blind She Has at the Age of Sixteen Passed the Entrance Examination to Harvard College—Her Noble Benefactoress.

(Cambridge Letter.)

THOUSANDS of Americans, reading the brilliant success of Helen Keller in passing the entrance examination of Harvard University, have made an effort to realize for a moment all that is implied by this achievement of this most wonderful girl of sixteen. They have recalled that she is deaf and dumb and blind and that she has been so since her babyhood; that she lived for years in an abyss of darkness and silence and loneliness; that she did not know where she was nor what nor why, until out of the chaos a human hand was stretched to her, and the apparently hopeless work of communicating with her was begun; that today she stands where that hand has placed her—still deaf, still blind, but in all other respects equal to girls of her age and head and shoulders above the majority of them intellectually; that her greatest ambition is to go through college, and that this ambition is about to be realized.

These are the facts. They are too stupendous to come home to one with convincing force until one has seen and talked to Helen Keller herself, and to the marvelous teacher who went into the outer darkness after her and brought her back into a human world. Meeting these two for the first time, and looking at them as they stand together, the full consciousness of what has been done surges on one—a great wave of comprehension that seems to sweep one, for a horrible moment, into the blackness from which they emerged. During this flash of acute comprehension, there are half a dozen distinct impressions. One not only realizes all that was meant by that early condition of isolation, but one follows mentally the slow and painful processes of breaking it—the strain, the patience, the self-sacrifice—and one turns away, almost sick at heart, from the thought of it all. These are not pleasant sensations, but no thinking person can fail to experience them the first time Helen Keller's sightless eyes are turned upon him.

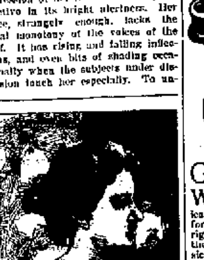
Fortunately they do not last. They cannot, with the girl's eager face before one, radiant with interest in all that is going on. The first trait one notices in her is this desire to be a part of everything about her. She is absolutely devoid of self-consciousness, and being so, she bursts into speech the moment she is introduced to a stranger. Her evident wish is to get from the new personality all that is interesting in it. Her methods in this respect recall Li Hung Chang's characteristic interviews with American citizens. It should be added at once, however, that her questions are never unpleasantly personal; she is thoroughly well-bred. She talks very quickly, bending towards you, with her sightless eyes fixed eagerly on your face, and with every feature alive with interest in what you and she are saying. She is pathetically anxious to show you that she is in touch with the world and the people in it. She brings up subject after subject, and dismisses them with a few terse sentences which somehow seem to contain the gist of them all. She uses no unnecessary words. She has learned to express her ideas with wonderful clearness and conciseness. She has a very keen sense of humor, and responds to the mildest joke with a girlish laugh that is very contagious. All these things you notice within five minutes after your meeting with her. Then, as she talks on, you begin to study her more in detail, and this is what you see:

A well-formed, graceful girl of sixteen, in a perfectly plain dark blue gown that comes to the tops of her

HELEN KELLER.

shoes in schoolgirl fashion. The shoes are well made and well-fitting, with good, thick soles and low, sensible heels. Above them you see an inch of dark blue stockings under the plain, full skirt. The waist of her dress fits loosely, and there are no suggestions of corsets or of tight bands about the young girl's waist or neck. The collar of her gown rolls back, leaving her throat bare, and the little puffed sleeves she wears end well above the wrist to permit free play of her wonderful hands. Those hands deserve a chapter to themselves. Their whiteness and delicacy and beauty of shape are delights to the eye, and the extraordinary sensitiveness of their finger-tips cannot be imagined by one who has only the usual sense of touch. Those finger-tips, resting lightly on the lips of her friends, carry to Helen Keller's mind the messages from the world in which she lives, unseeing and unhearing. They do more than this, for they keep her in touch with the intellectual life. She reads German, French and English with her fingers resting on the raised letters of the books which have been published for her. Her hands are never still for an instant; one of them is usually clasped in that of Miss Sullivan, the teacher, who is no less a marvel than her wonderful pupil. If Miss Sullivan moves away, Helen follows her, and if the teacher's hands are busy the pupil rests her own palm lightly on the other's shoulder or even gathers a fold of her gown between her fingers and holds that. If one could not see her eyes or hear her voice, this dependence on Miss Sullivan would be the only outward trait to distinguish Helen Keller from other girls of her age. But to return to her appearance.

Her chief beauty, next to her hands, is the mass of short brown curly hair that falls on her shoulders and which is confined only by a small comb. Looking at the face, you are struck first, of course, by the pathos of the eyes that show all too plainly their affliction. Aside from these, there is nothing to sadden one in Helen Keller's appearance. Her chin is beautifully formed, the mouth and teeth are good, her complexion is clear and healthy and the expression of her face wonderfully attractive in its bright alertness. Her voice, strangely enough, lacks the usual monotony of the voices of the deaf. It has rising and falling inflections, and even bits of shading occasionally when the subjects under discussion touch her especially. To un-



ALICE EGELHOFF.

derstand the interest of this it is necessary to recall the fact that she herself has never heard the slightest sound of any kind since she was eighteen months old. Her speech is a little thick and at first it is hard to understand. After listening for a few moments, however, one begins to follow her.

They came to me together Thursday noon in the little reception room of Mr. Arthur Gilman's school for young ladies. Miss Keller is studying there, and not in Radcliffe, as reported. She did, it is true, successfully pass an entrance examination in the four branches she undertook—English, French, German and history. But this was suggested by Mr. Gilman only as a test of her present scholarship.

Until a few years ago Helen knew nothing about death, and she probably has a very vague idea now of what it means. It has just come home to her heavily, for her father died a few weeks ago. He was in Alabama, with her mother, and her grief over the news was very deep. She begged to go to her mother, but was dissuaded by those who have her in charge and who dreaded the effect of continued depression on her impressionable nature. She is wonderfully affected by the mental condition of those about her, and can tell immediately on meeting a person whether that person is happy or the reverse. She may feel any depressing influences the more keenly because she is used to the buoyant atmosphere of Miss Sullivan—that lovely and lovable woman who for nine years has devoted herself day and night to the helpless child. To Miss Sullivan alone belongs the credit of Helen Keller's record today. What Helen has done is not so wonderful when one recalls the concentration that was necessarily put into her work, and the absolute lack of all distracting influences. She developed mentally because, imprisoned as she was, every impulse of her nature helped to push her toward the light. When she enters Radcliffe she will probably carry off all the prizes for the same reason. Her mind to her a kingdom is. There is no other for her, and can be none. With Miss Sullivan it is different. Life has much to offer her, but she has voluntarily put it all aside for this one duty. Her work from the time she took Helen Keller's little hand in her's and taught her the deaf and dumb alphabet nine years ago has been wholly unselfish and unceasing.

ELIZABETH G. JORDAN.

QUEEN OF BEAUTY.

A Jerseyville, Illinois, Girl Who Won in a Recent Contest.

(Jerseyville, Ill., Letter.)

The Daily Democrat held a contest by coupon vote for the prettiest unmarried lady over 16 in Jerseyville. Great interest was taken in the contest and on Saturday night the voting closed. On counting the votes it was found that Miss Alice Egelhoff was the winner. Miss Egelhoff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Egelhoff, old residents of Jerseyville, and a genuine Jerseyville girl, having been born, reared and educated there. She has brown eyes and hair, fair complexion and regular features; a figure of medium height, prettily rounded and graceful. But her personal charms no portrait can reveal—a sincere and gentle manner and a disposition of irresistible sweetness. Miss Egelhoff is a home girl, devoted to her aging parents, whose joy she is.

We are indebted to Dean Hole's book on America for the following anecdote. The dean says that a Denver audience is notably benevolent.

It is said that a chairman, after a depressing address, assured the speaker that his discourse was "moving, soothing and satisfying." When reproved next morning for having commended a dismal failure, he denied the charge and maintained that he had uttered no approbation, but only simple facts—namely, that the lecture was "moving," because a large proportion of the audience fidgeted in their seats, and several left the room; it was "soothing," because many fell asleep, and it was "satisfying," because there was not a single person present who had not had quite enough.

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RAILWAY ECHOES.

A New Feature in Western Freight Circles.

Clamoring for a Restoration of the Accommodation Train Service—Affairs About Depot and Shop.

An Associated Press dispatch from Chicago this morning contained the following items of news: "It is announced that the new Western Freight association will have a committee composed of officials, no lower in rank than assistant general freight agent, in addition to its executive and administrative boards. Just how the membership will be apportioned among the roads has not yet been made clear. In the Southwestern Traffic association, in which there are but four large systems, each sends a freight official to act on the committee when it meets. There are so many roads in the Western Freight association that the same plan is hardly practicable. It may be followed, however, for no line will care to have its rates made for it by a body of men connected with competing lines.

"C. Densmore Wyman, at present general manager of the Milwaukee (Wis.) Street Railway company, has been elected general manager of the New Orleans Traction company, under a reorganization and general overhauling of the concern. Mr. Wyman is credited with having taken the Milwaukee Street railway when it went into the hands of a receiver and built it up to an excellent standard. He has been also connected with New York street railway lines."

TRAVELING MEN PUT UP A KICK.

Now that there is an increase in business throughout the country and a consequent increase in the number of traveling salesmen on the road, the feeling that the railways should better their facilities for handling local business is being revived. Traveling men claim that, as trains now run on the lines through this section, and particularly on the Pennsylvania and Wabash roads, they are unable to "make" the towns in their territory, within the time allowed for such purposes, without expending considerable money on livery rigs. There is some talk of holding a meeting for the purpose of inaugurating a concerted movement looking toward the restoration of the accommodation trains which were taken off of the lines some months ago.

GROUPE OF WELL KNOWN MACHINISTS.

At noon today all the employes of the Pittsburg machineshop who had worked there twenty years or more and who are still on the pay rolls were photographed. In the groupe were Hugh Hogan, Allen Hamilton, Joseph F. Wooff, D. C. Bitner, William Hosey, George Gellar, William Madison, P. J. Hess, E. G. Pierce, Andrew Teglmeyer, H. T. Mills, Henry A. Moellering, John Nolan, John Collins, Henry H. Sommers, P. J. Singleton, L. R. Buckwalter, M. J. Lee, Hugh M. Diehl, James Cairnes, George Scott, sr., William Harrison, Peter Harber and John Slaster. There are three or four other men who were entitled to sit in this groupe, but sickness prevented them from getting down to the shop.

BRIEF MENTIONS.

S. M. Gosko has taken a position as brakeman on the Nickel Plate.

Willard Knight left last evening for Michigan, in the interest of the electric corporation.

Sickness keeps John E. Bonward from his work in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop.

Henry Goerken, the boilermaker, was at Lima last night, repairing a Pennsylvania local engine.

J. H. Holbrock, assistant Pennsylvania shop clerk, was in Chicago yesterday on company's business.

Crawford Griswold and his gang of carpenters are making repairs on the watch tower at Warsaw this week.

Chief Dispatcher W. H. Tigar and Dispatcher Jesse F. Patterson made a trip over the west end of the Pittsburg road today.

J. M. Wells is now conductor on the east local on the Nickel Plate, vice W. S. Steadman, who has taken a few days' leave of absence.

Frank Gruber and Robert Schellheimer, boilermakers at the Bass works, have gone to St. Louis to set up a large condenser in the gas works.

Master Mechanic Barney Fitzpatrick, of the Pittsburg, has not yet appointed an assistant and guessing as to who will get the office is abating.

M. R. Hardendorf, who was off duty on account of the sickness of his little son, reported for work at the Pittsburg shops this morning. The lad is better.

East bound shipments from Chicago last week were 74,404 tons, against 68,694 for the preceding week and 75,444 for the corresponding week of last year.

John Connors resumed his work in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning after attending the trial of Bradway at Huntington. Bradway was accused of picking Mr. Connors' pockets last month, but the evidence was not sufficient to convict and the prisoner was released.

Al Becker, Nickel Plate engineer, has taken a vacation, which he will spend in fishing.

The little baby of Stenographer Thomas Comparet, of the Bass offices, is quite sick.

Fred Spaulding, one of the construction men for the electric works, is lying ill at his home.

The shops of the Wabash at Decatur, Ill., have been started up, full time, with 300 men.

William Donlan, machinist at the electric works, and Miss Doyle will be married on November 25.

Master Mechanic C. H. Doebler is out on his periodical tour of the Wabash lines in his jurisdiction today.

The Southern Railway company has plans prepared for the erection of a $500,000 depot at Knoxville, Tenn.

John Gribbins has completed the work of installing an electric plant at Portland, Mich., and has returned home.

Representatives of railway supply houses are calling on master mechanics in large numbers the last few days.

M. S. Willson, foreman of the testing room at the electric works, went to Michigan City today to repair a plant.

The capacity of the yards of the New York Central at Utica is to be enlarged to hold 1,200 cars, involving an outlay of $25,000.

E. J. King, of the meter department of the electric works, has gone to Port Clinton and Tiffin, Ohio, on business for the company.

H. Walter Webb, third vice president of the New York Central, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is thought to be recovering.

The Wabash ticket office at this point sold twenty-five tickets to parties going down to Indianapolis to attend the Odd Fellows meetings, which are now being held.

Yesterday Frank Maloney, the Nickel Plate fireman, accompanied his father to Chicago. The elder Maloney resides in the west and is now on route home after visiting his son.

Conductor Louis Smart has returned to his run on the Nickel Plate after spending a few days in hunting quail. Brakeman A. Sanders, of the same road, also resumed work yesterday after a few days' absence.

A. Gruber, a coppersmith, and C. Rupple, a flue welder, of the Pittsburg shops, have returned to work after a few days' absence, the former to look after private affairs and the latter on account of sickness.

The item yesterday concerning the illness of Mr. Philley should have read Walter, instead of Agent E. S. Philley. The reporter was misinformed as to the identity of the sick man. Walter Philley is the son of E. S. Philley and is the efficient assistant county clerk.

Joseph Slater, foreman of the Bass blacksmith shop, is confined to bed by a severely sprained back. He had made preparations for a trip through Ohio in the interest of the firm, intending to start yesterday morning, but the injury to his back made a postponement necessary.

W. E. Turner, night seal clerk at the Nickel Plate yards, is taking a week's vacation and is preparing for a visit with friends at Marion, Ind. Harry E. Bauer is acting as seal clerk during Mr. Turner's absence.

The officials of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas have decided to at once replace thirty-seven wooden Howe truss bridges on their line with steel bridges, and will let the contract immediately.

The Haskell & Barker Car works, at Michigan City, are building 1,000 box cars for the Chicago and Northwestern, and last week the Wisconsin Central placed an order with them for 100 box cars.

W. S. Danes, superintendent of bridges and buildings of the Wabash, is now having the shops and round house in this city put in shape for winter. The roofs, doors and windows are being repaired.

The Big Four has at Benton Harbor practically two miles of water front, it extending from Benton Harbor to the lake. Persons competent to judge of its value say that even now it is worth $250,000.

It is stated that the Joint Traffic association has signified a willingness to withdraw the charges against the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City, which has been characterized as a boycott on the Clover Leaf.

A contract has been closed by which a $200,000 union station is to be built at Des Moines jointly by the Chicago Great Western, the Des Moines Northern and Western, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Wabash.

Indianapolis Journal: "As evidence of an improvement in business it is stated that for industries located on the Belt road that company handled last week 816 cars, against 180 in the week ending Nov. 7, an increase of 330 cars."

Engineer Thomas Ozier, of the Nickel Plate, has returned from Battle Creek, Mich., where he spent three weeks in the sanitarium in the vain hope of getting relief from stomach troubles. He is no better than when he went there.

The condition of Machinist Walter Adams, of the Bass works, is not so favorable today. For a week he has been afflicted with rheumatism of the hips and lower limbs and now the malady has extended to his shoulders, rendering him almost helpless.

It is said to be probable that before the first of next month George Bradbury, vice president and general manager of the Lake Erie and Western and other Brice lines, will appoint a traffic manager. The position has been vacant since the death of Harry Parker.

Norman Beckley, one of the oldest railroad men in the state is now general agent of the Big Four on the Michigan division. Mr. Beckley has just completed his fifty-first year in railroad service. He located and built what is now the Michigan division of the Big Four lines.

George R. Peck, general counsel for the St. Paul Railroad company, fell down the elevator shaft at the Shoreham hotel, Washington, Sunday night, and broke his right arm and left hand. He was unconscious when found by the elevator attendant and remained so for some hours.

Joseph Dando, the Erie engineer who was so seriously injured near Dayton, Ohio, over a year ago, has entirely recovered and is again at the throttle. Mr. Dando was well known here, having married one of the daughters of the late Daniel Harmon.

A tramp named Quinn, who was arrested at Valparaiso several weeks ago by Detective Stoll, of the Fort Wayne road, on the suspicion that he was implicated in a rape case in Kentucky, was released yesterday morning by Sheriff Stoddard, who received word from the Kentucky parties that he was not the man wanted.

The projectors of the St. Joseph Valley road, which is now located from Benton Harbor to Nappanee, are pushing the work. Two hundred men are grading, a construction train is being run and the track layers last week put down a mile of track. There seems to be some mystery as to who the capitalists behind the project are.

A party of hunters numbering sixty-five passed through this city this morning over the Pittsburg, en route to Mobile, Alabama. This party is composed of citizens of Middlepoint and Convoy, Ohio. At Chicago they will take the Wabash route to St. Louis, where they will meet a party of hunters from this city, which left last evening, and continue the journey together.

Stock cars to the number of 2,380, laden with stock of all kinds, arrived at the Chicago stock yards Monday. This is the largest number of cars ever received at the yards in one day, or at any other stock market in the world, where there was no artificial interruption. The previous big run was directly after the American Railway union strike, July 30, 1894, when the number reached 2,371.

The new bridge over the Mississippi river, between Davenport and Rock Island, will be completed within ten days. It has been built jointly by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific and the government, the latter paying 40 per cent. of its cost. The bridge consists of eight spans, of which one is a draw span. The trusses are calculated to carry a total moving load of 11,360 pounds per lineal foot, of which 8,000 pounds are on the railroad floor and 3,360 pounds on the roadway floor. The solid corrugated steel railway floor, together with the guard angles and rail plates, weighs about 940 pounds per lineal foot of the bridge. The draw span, which weighs, approximately, 2,500,000 pounds, is one of the heaviest ever built. The chain motion moving the span is one of the departures from the usual methods.

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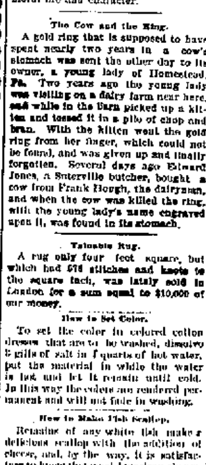
MANY YEARS OF PREDICTION.

Joseph C. H. Swan, the Sage of White Water, a Feeble Old Man.

Joseph C. H. Swan, "the sage of White Water" (Kansas), is in a feeble condition and his services to the farming communities of the west have not made him a rich man. Weather forecasting is not a profitable business and the old man is now traveling about the country selling his book for a living.

"Old Probs" Swan was born in Wayne county, Ind., where the city of Richmond now stands on July 3, 1821. He came to Kansas in 1875. Mr. Swan received little or no education, and that fact made a weather prophet of him. He began to make daily records of the weather and finally discovered that it moved in cycles of twenty years. The repetition of a severe frost in his twenty-seven years of daily observation led him to go over his data, and to his surprise he learned that he was repeating or duplicating his past records. Making this discovery in September [illegible] wrote a brief forecast to cover the next four years. After coming to Kansas he wrote an article or two for the press and began to write for the Kansas farmer. His readers began to call for the publication of his predictions and in 1880 he printed a volume of prognostications covering forty-six years. He claims that all his predictions have come true. Between his weather records and his experiments he is believed by many to be the best posted man as to farming now living. He does his forecasting from history, covering centuries of the past in addition to the proof of his records. He has looked up statistics and meteorological reports as far back as can be found in America. He refused an appointment in the weather department some years ago, preferring to remain at his home here and be independent. He has an honored record in the army and is a man noted for his scholarship as well as his moral life and character.



JOSEPH C. H. SWAN, THE SAGE.

The Cow and the Ring.

A gold ring that is supposed to have spent nearly two years in a cow's stomach was sent the other day to its owner, a young lady of Homestead, Pa. Two years ago the young lady was visiting on a dairy farm near here, and while in the barn picked up a kitten and tossed it in a pile of chop and bran. With the kitten went the gold ring from her finger, which could not be found, and was given up and finally forgotten. Several days ago Edward Jones, a Suterville butcher, bought a cow from Frank Hough, the dairyman, and when the cow was killed the ring, with the young lady's name engraved upon it, was found in its stomach.

Valuable Rug.

A rug only four feet square, but which had 576 stitches and knots to the square inch, was lately sold in London for a sum equal to $10,000 of our money.

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To set the color in colored cotton dresses that are to be washed, dissolve 2 gills of salt in 4 quarts of hot water, put the material in while the water is hot and let it remain until cold. In this way the colors are rendered permanent and will not fade in washing.

How to Make Fish Scallop.

Remains of any white fish make a delicious scallop with the addition of cheese, and, by the way, it is satisfactory to know that good American cheese, if not too fresh, is pronounced by the proper authorities as excellent for cooking purposes. Mash the fish with bread crumbs, grated cheese and anchovy sauce or any catchup liked. Bake in shells with a layer of bread crumbs, grated cheese and wee "dabs" of butter on top.

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Chamber pails	20
Granite bowls	19
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*7 00 a.m. From Chi.	*5 10 a.m.
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*7 45 p.m.	†11 40 a.m.
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*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 45 am
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†No. 4 Cleveland Mail	1 00 pm	1 10 pm
*No. 6 Eastern Express	*6 20 pm	*6 25 pm
†Local Freight	4 25 pm	7 30 am
WEST.	Arrive.	Depart.
*No. 1 Chicago Express	*1 55 am	*2 05 am
†No. 3 Chicago Mail	1 05 pm	1 15 pm
*No. 5 Western Express	*4 05 pm	*4 10 pm
†Local Freight	5 25 pm	7 00 am

*Daily. †Daily Except Sunday

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No.	GOING EAST.	Depart.
2.	N. Y. & Boston Limited, daily	4:48 am
10.	Toledo Local Ex., daily	6:00 am
6.	N. Y. and N. Eng. Flyer, daily	11:48 am
4.	Fast Mail and Exp., ex. Sunday	7:25 pm
	GOING WEST.	
5.	Pacific Express, ex. Sunday	8:00 am
7.	Kas. City Cannon Ball, daily	1:00 pm
1.	Government Fast Mail, daily	6:30 pm
3.	St. Louis Vestibule Lim., daily	8:10 pm
13.	Andrews Local, ex. Sunday	1:00 pm
11.	Toledo Accom., ar., ex. Sunday	12:30 pm
9.	Toledo-Ft W. spec. Sun. only, ar.	10:30 pm

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No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	11 00 am
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The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 18, 1896.

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The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18.—For Indiana: Showers, turning to snow flurries tonight; fair Thursday; very much colder with cold wave in northern portions; high westerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. J. C. Peltier is visiting at Detroit.

Mrs. Will Heckman left this morning for Indianapolis, to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Frieda Kruse, of 30 Allegier street, has gone to Dayton to visit relatives and friends.

The Fort Wayne Grays will give a social entertainment at their armory, on Broadway, on the 25th inst.

A Catholic fair is in progress at the St. Rose church, in Monroeville. This is Father L. R. Paquet's church.

The Standard club will give a ball Thanksgiving and a children's entertainment will be given November 23.

Miss Mary G. O'Dowd has accepted a position as stenographer in the office of the W. L. Carnahan Shoe company.

A. W. Freese and wife have returned home from a delightful visit with relatives and friends at Old Fort, Ohio.

The board of managers of the Door of Hope will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home, 141 Cass street.

Mrs. Jacob Fry, of John street, who has been quite sick with an attack of hemorrhage of the lungs, is convalescing.

Mr. John Dunn, of Chattanooga, Tenn., is the guest of his niece, Mrs. P. W. Schaden, of 349 West Jefferson street.

Carl P. Swain left last evening for Utica, N. Y., to resume his duties as traveling salesman for the Bowser Oil Tank company.

The members of the North Side reading room are requested to meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the room, 96 Wells street.

Charles Hilcher, of Chicago, is in the city for the purpose of building a new baking oven at the Haffner bakery, on East Lewis street.

The High school foot ball team are contemplating a trip to Kendallville on Saturday, when they hope to win a game with the team of that town.

Mrs. T. H. Coleman, of 66 John street, gave a four-course dinner Tuesday in compliment to visiting guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Freese, Mrs. J. B. Ollinger.

Mad Anthony Hive No. 27 will give an "Impersonation Social" Friday evening at the home of Mrs. William Somers, No. 325 West Jefferson street.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Kranbs, of 312 Broadway, a ten pound girl. Mr. Kranbs is the well known shoemaker for Aug. Spiegel, on Broadway, and is receiving many congratulations.

Albert A. W. Smythe, of Toronto, Canada, will deliver a free lecture at the rooms of the Theosophical society, Berry and Harrison streets, tomorrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The subject will be "The Crusade."

The King's Daughters will give an entertainment entitled, "The Family Album," on Friday evening, at the Third Presbyterian church. The proceeds will go towards a Thanksgiving dinner for poor children.

Mrs. George DeWald will entertain the L'Orphelin club next Tuesday, as it is the tenth anniversary of the society. The club was organized for the purpose of sewing for the orphans of St. Vincent's Orphans' home.

Sherman Malcolm, the real estate dealer, left his horse and buggy standing in front of the White bank yesterday afternoon and the animal wandered away. The outfit was found by the police last night and put up at a livery barn.

The Home Missionary committee of the West Wayne Presbytery met at Kendallville yesterday. The committee is composed of the Rev. J. M. Boggs, D. D., of Fort Wayne, the Rev. M. M. Lawson, of Lima, and the Rev. G. A. Mackintosh, of Kendallville.

It is all right for societies and churches to solicit among the stores, but when they ask a merchant to give up his advertising space in a newspaper for their benefit, it is carrying the matter entirely too far. They might as well ask the merchant to give up the receipts of his store for one day.

Mrs. Jane Muldoon and son, Albert, have moved to the city from their farm home south of Fort Wayne and will occupy a handsome new home now being built on Force street. For the present they are located in apartments over the store of William Muldoon on Fairfield avenue.

The following building permits were issued yesterday: Henry Hilgeman, to build a two story frame house on lot 12, Chute's Homestead addition, to cost $350; Killian Baker, a one story frame building on the east half of lot 68, County addition, for $175. The new building will be used as a shop for dressing lumber, Mr. Baker finding the addition necessary on account of increasing business.

New Smoked Halibut.

Nice Fresh Smoked Halibut, 15¢ lb.
New Smoked Yarmouth Bloaters, 1½¢ each.
Smoked White Fish, 8¢ lb.
New Holland Herring, 90¢ keg.
Extra Mess Mackerel, 15¢ lb.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Mrs. Rupert has returned from a visit at Van Wert.

Mrs. Charles Centlivre will entertain friends this evening.

Mrs. John A. Riedmiller, of South Broadway, has gone to New York City.

William Meyer, the hatter, left for Decatur and other surrounding towns today, to sell hats.

The J. F. F. club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Eugene McLachlan, of Anna avenue.

The Ninety-six sporting club will have a big shooting match at the White range the early part of next week.

How do you like our new dress? Its brightness may dazzle the eyes for a few days, but it will soon adjust itself to your vision.

Mrs. J. H. Douglass left today for Dayton, Ohio, where she expects to spend three or four weeks with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Daudo.

Mrs. H. Estby and Miss Clara Estby, who are walking across the continent, have their photographs for sale at the drug store of Gross & Pellins.

Invitations have been received in the city for a grand ball to be given by the Huntertown McKinley club at that place Thursday evening, November 19.

Frank Allen, who completes his fourth and last year in the study of medicine this term at the Fort Wayne college, will locate at Michigan in his profession.

John Schlagel, who was for a time proprietor of the Plaza hotel in this city, but late of The Marvin, Findlay, Ohio, has taken a position with the Sprague collection agency at Chicago.

Will Gouty today received a letter stating that almost all of the leading high grade bicycles would be put out at the same price next year as they sold for during the past season.

Mrs. J. W. Hockiday and Mrs. Hackett, of Toledo, are the guests today of Mr. and Mrs. George Fowler. The visiting ladies had been at Van Wert and are now en route home.

Mrs. Sarah Berg and daughter, of Lancaster, Pa., are in the city on a visit to her brother, A. Holsworth, of West Wayne street. They are on their way to Sac City, Iowa, to visit a sister.

Mrs. John Stadtler, of Muncie, who has been in the city several days, returned last evening to her home, accompanied by her son, Master John, who was taking treatment for rheumatism. The boy is entirely cured.

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AT THE HOTELS.

Arrivals at the Different City Hostelries.

Gossip in the Lobbies—Scottish Rite Headquarters at the Randall.

The Randall hotel is the official headquarters of the Scottish Rite Masons, and as a result Host Townsend has had an unusually large amount of business yesterday and today. These guests will leave tonight, the Masonic rites being over this afternoon. Among the commercial guests here are Will Bowman, of Indianapolis; John S. Glenn, of Huntington; S. H. Moore, of Hillsdale; Ward Douglass, son and governess, Indianapolis.

WAYNE.

Among the arrivals at the Wayne are T. W. Tuttle, Geneva, Ind.; C. B. Stone, Indianapolis; E. M. Fye, Oxford, Ohio; J. M. Knight, Boston; J. W. Campbell, Philadelphia.

NEW AVELINE.

Among the guests at the New Aveline are T. H. Groves, of Cleveland, who is proprietor of the Bankrupt store in this city; John J. Hart, Huntington; W. H. Megley, Columbia City; D. B. and A. R. Clugston, Columbia City; Fred Tucker and wife, Warsaw.

RICH.

Among the guests at the Rich are Ed S. Gilbreth, Plymouth, Ind.; E. R. Smith, Pennville, Ind.; C. E. Cowgill, Kinzie, Ind.; George H. Wagner, Peru, Ind.

HARMON.

Philip Lintlag, night clerk at the Harmon, has gone to the Gulf of Mexico with a hunting party. C. B. Bigler, the day clerk, is doing the work during Mr. Litlag's absence, and Chris Newcomer, the manager, is doing the courtesies of the day job.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

Creighton Avenue Church Exercises Next Sunday.

Interesting Program Arranged for the Occasion—Rev. Updike Arrives.

The new Creighton avenue Church of Christ will be dedicated next Sunday. Rev. J. V. Updike, who will be the pastor of the church, arrived last evening from Memphis, Tenn., after completing his evangelistic campaign, and will be present at the dedication. The program for Sunday will be as follows:

MORNING.

Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" .... Congregation
Responsive reading of the Twentieth Psalm
Invocation .... The pastor
Hymn—"Nearer My God to Thee" .... Congregation
Scripture lesson (1 Kings, 1-8) .... The pastor
Prayer .... F. M. Rains, D. D.
Bass solo .... Prof. H. A. Easton, Danville, Ill.
Dedicatory sermon .... Rev. F. M. Rains, D. D., Cincinnati
Free will offerings and pledges ....
Doxology ....
Benediction ....

AFTERNOON, 3 O'CLOCK.

Fellowship and communion service ....
Hymn—"I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord" ....
Scripture reading and prayer ....
Communion ....
Fellowship ....
Five minute speeches by visiting brethren, interspersed with songs.
Music .... Prof. H. A. Easton

EVENING.

Song service .... Prof. H. A. Easton
Reading and prayer ....
Solo .... Prof. Easton
Sermon .... Rev. F. M. Rains, D. D.
Dedicatory prayer ....

Miss Effie Richey entertained a party of friends in honor of Miss Margaret Spencer last evening.

At the St. Paul M. E. church revival last night there were eleven persons at the altar in prayer and eleven conversions.

William Muldoon, the Fairfield avenue grocer, has received a letter stating that his brother-in-law, William Drew, is very low with adpendicitis, at his home, in Waukegan, Ill. Mr. Drew married Mr. Muldoon's sister, in this county, a few months ago.

ATTICSALT

Freshly Sprinkled Each Day.

"You may travel fast on whisky and gallop while you are going, but you can't get back when you want to."—Uncle Eeek.

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The stock of general merchandise at the "Fair" must be sold. Bring in and fit out the entire family with their needs for a year. Trustee's Sale. 16 3t

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DEAR SIR:—For several years I was troubled with the catarrh of the head, and upon application of your remedy I found relief, and after using two or three small boxes, I am very much benefited from the same.

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Yours respectfully,
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On or about November 20, we will move to No. 17 East Columbia street, with a full line of Whiskies and Wines in bulk and glass, which we offer at the very lowest prices. 18-2t
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Men's $5.00 Calf and Enamel Shoes for $3.65
Ladies' $3.00 Shoes for $1.98.
Ladies' $3.00 and $3.25 Shoes for $1.48.
Boys' $1.75 and $2 shoes for $1.48.
Men's $2.00 and $2.50 shoes for $1.89.
Men's $3.50 and $4.00 Shoes for $2.98.
Ladies' $2.50 Shoes for $1.78.
Misses' & Children's Shoes, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, 90c, $1.00, and $1.15.
This sale ends Saturday Night, Nov. 21st,

THE MANUFACTURER'S SHOE STORE, 25 Calhoun St.

$5,000 worth of millinery at the "Fair." Trustee's Sale. 16 3t

The R. W. B. club will give another of their popular entertainments, followed by a hop of twelve numbers, at Randall hall, Tuesday evening, November 24, for which an excellent program has been arranged.

Clothing and underwear extremely cheap at the "Fair." Trustee's Sale. 16 3

FOR FRIDAY.

Berg's Beef Sausage; Smoked Meat and Tongue. Imported Swiss Cheese. Camembert and Neufchatel Cheese, at J. C. STRODEL'S, 13 Harrison St.

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We can prove this if you will take the trouble to come in and look. We will show you cheerfully and you will not be urged to buy.

Our $10.00 Kersey Overcoats are a surprise party to every one who looks at them.

$15.00 Kersey Overcoat, blue, black and oxford, all wool, colors warranted, made with raw edge strap seam and silk velvet collar; it's a beauty, and will make you a customer here if you buy one.

Silk lined Kersey Overcoats at $20 and $25.

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$1.00 Ladies' Union Suits reduced to 75c.
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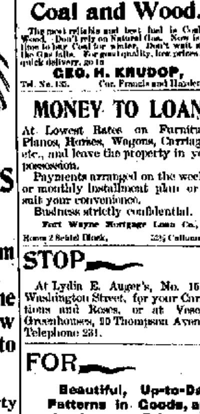
AUGUST HERMANN.

New President of the Municipal Improvement Society.

August Hermann, the newly elected president of the American Society for Municipal Improvements, was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, thirty-seven years ago, and has lived there ever since. For six years he has been a member of the city board of administration, having charge of eleven municipal departments. He is also a member of the board of water commissioners, and has been a member of the board of education. He is a self-made man. Early in life he became a printer, and worked for several years as a compositor on the Cincinnati Enquirer. He gained recognition and prominence as a citizen by the interest he manifested in public affairs. He is active in politics



A. HERMANN.

and was twice president of the Young Men's Blaine Club of Cincinnati. He induced a strong delegation of Cincinnati officials to attend the meeting in Buffalo two years ago, at which the American Society of Municipal Improvements was organized. The society met at Cincinnati last year, when he was honored by being elected first vice president. He is married and has one daughter.

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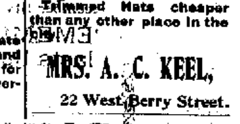

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